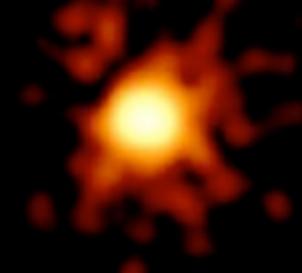


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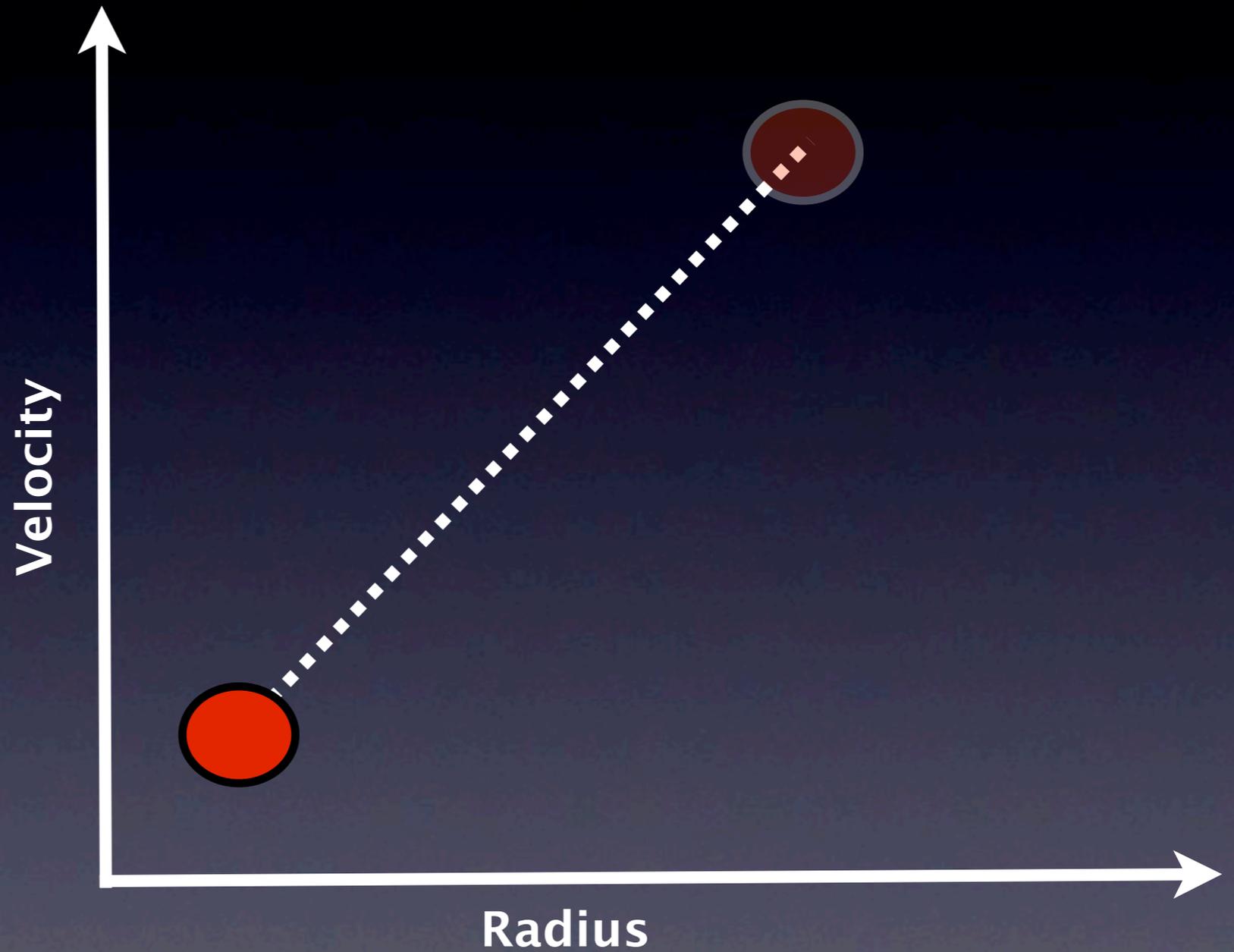


What Distinguishes GRB–SNe from SNe?

- Review: basic picture
- Blastwave diagnostics (E, v)
- Optical SN properties (L, v_{ph})
- Local CSM densities ($n_e, profile$)
- Host galaxy properties (Z, SFR)

→ Progress

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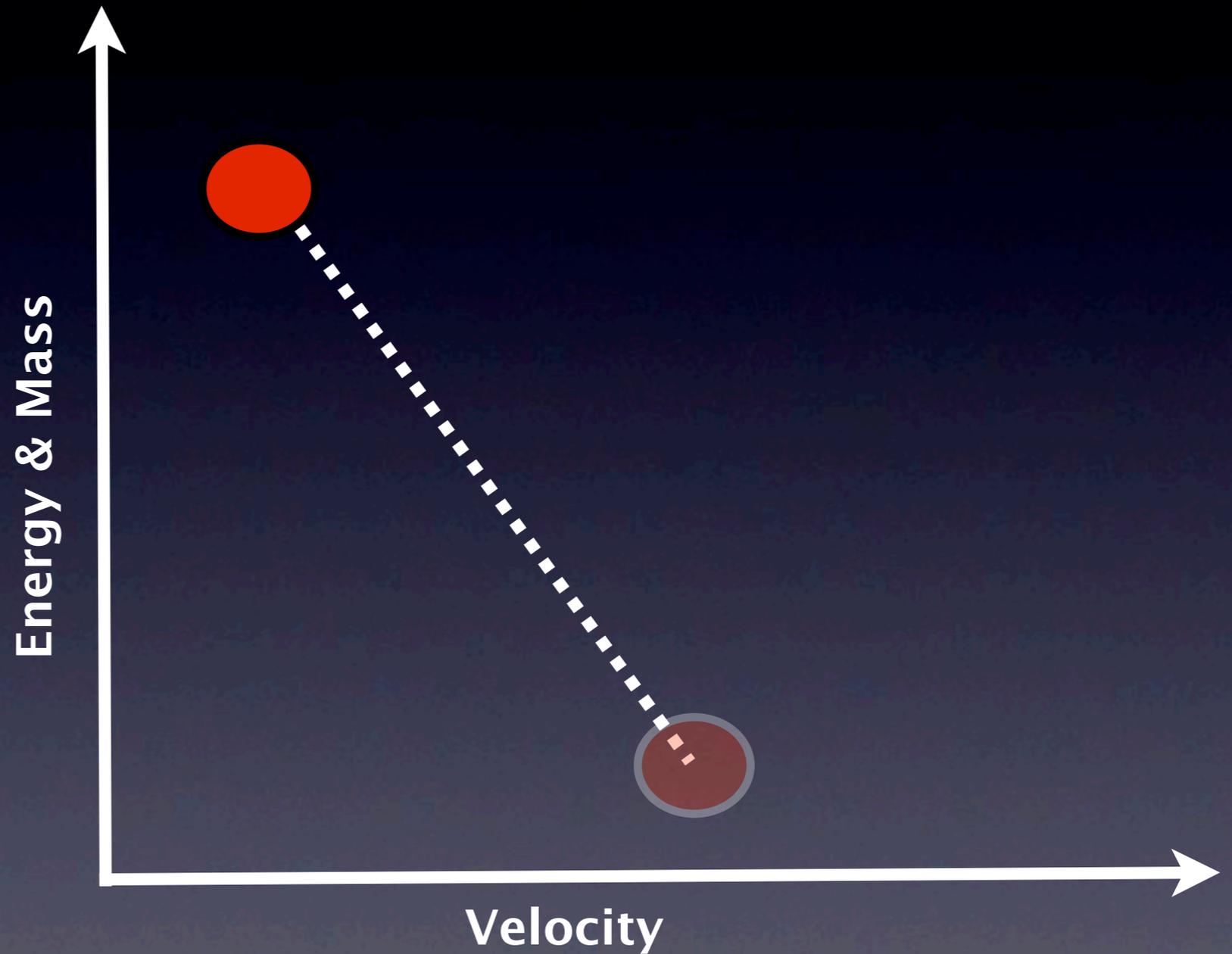


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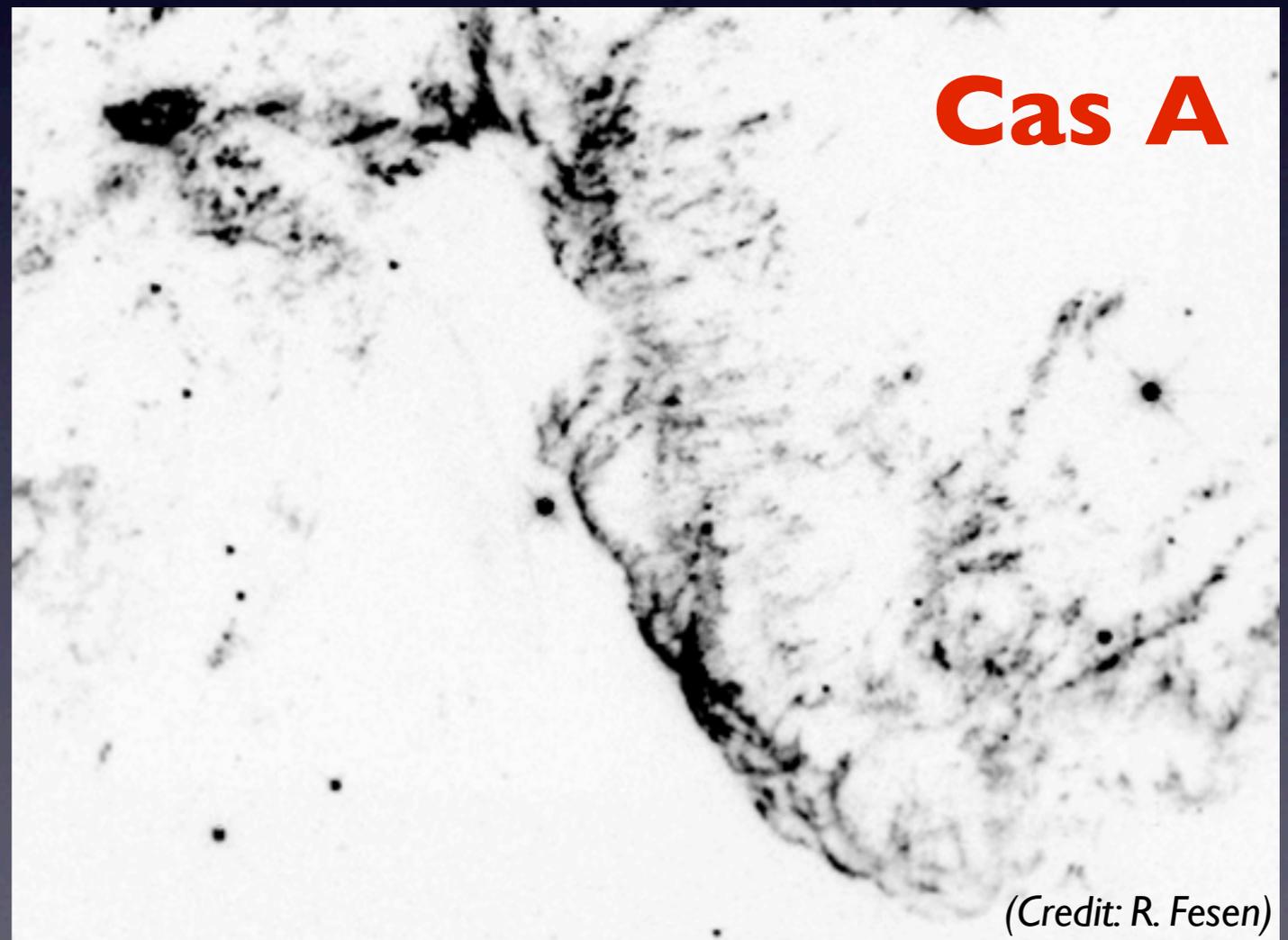


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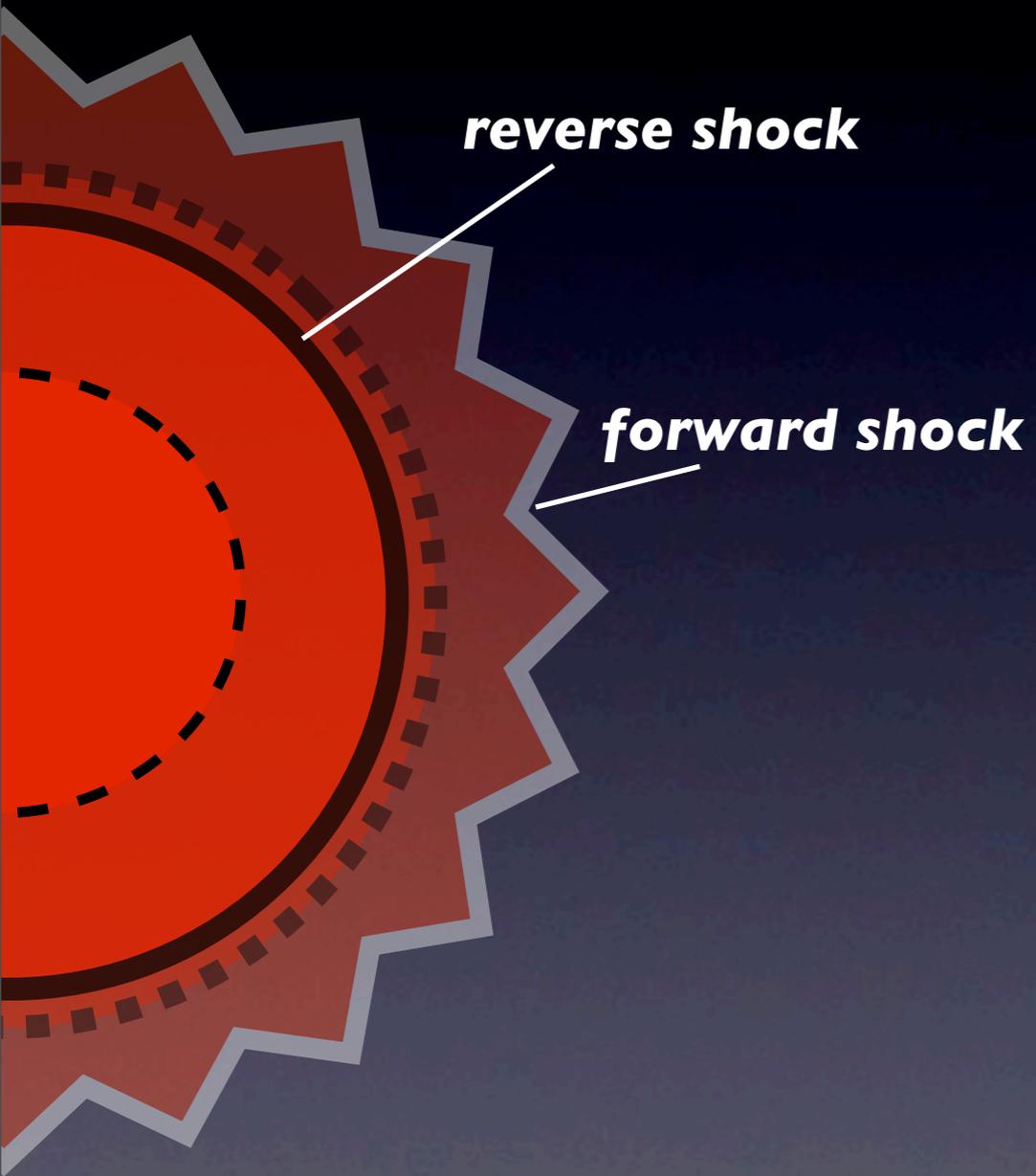
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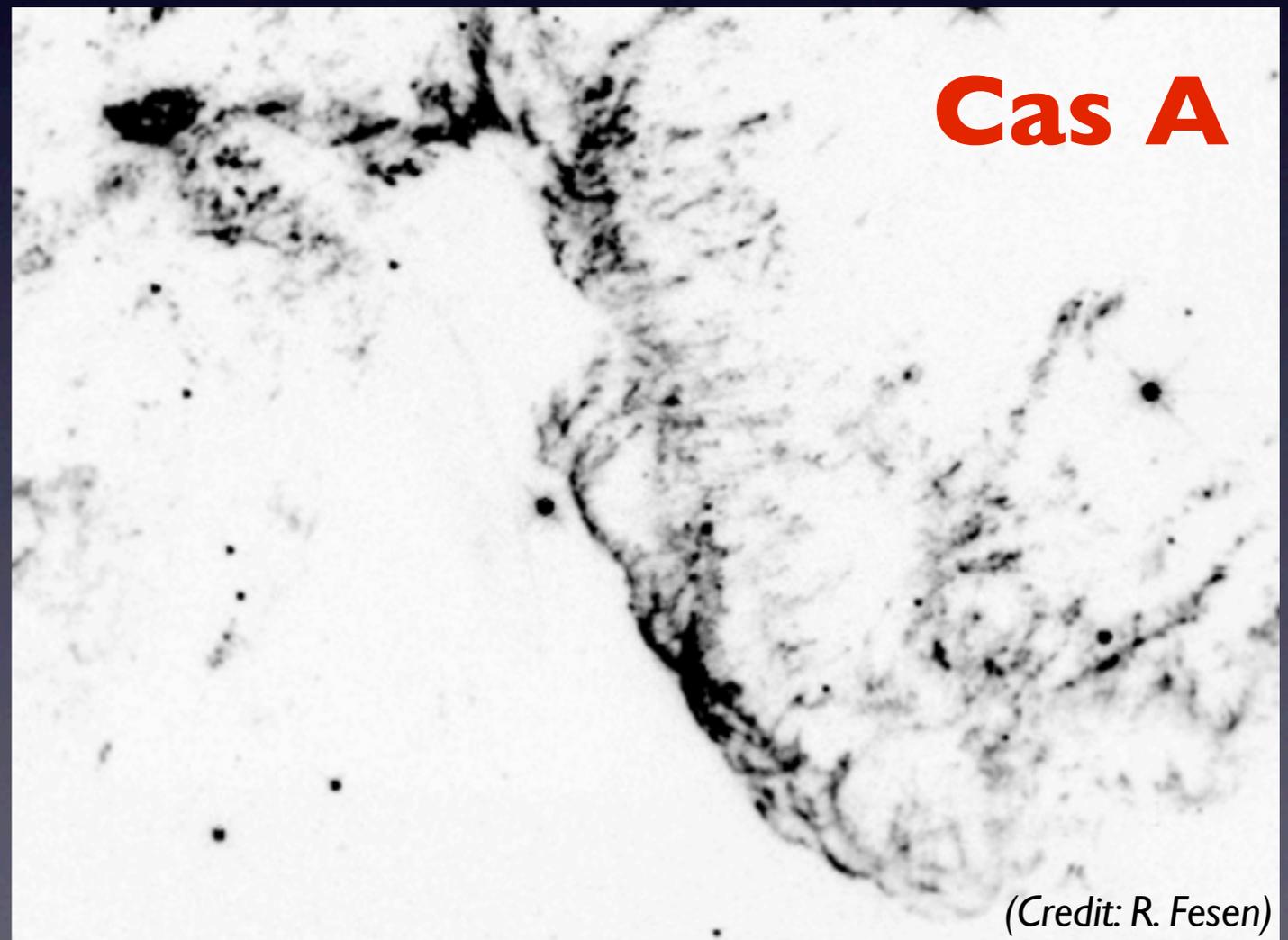
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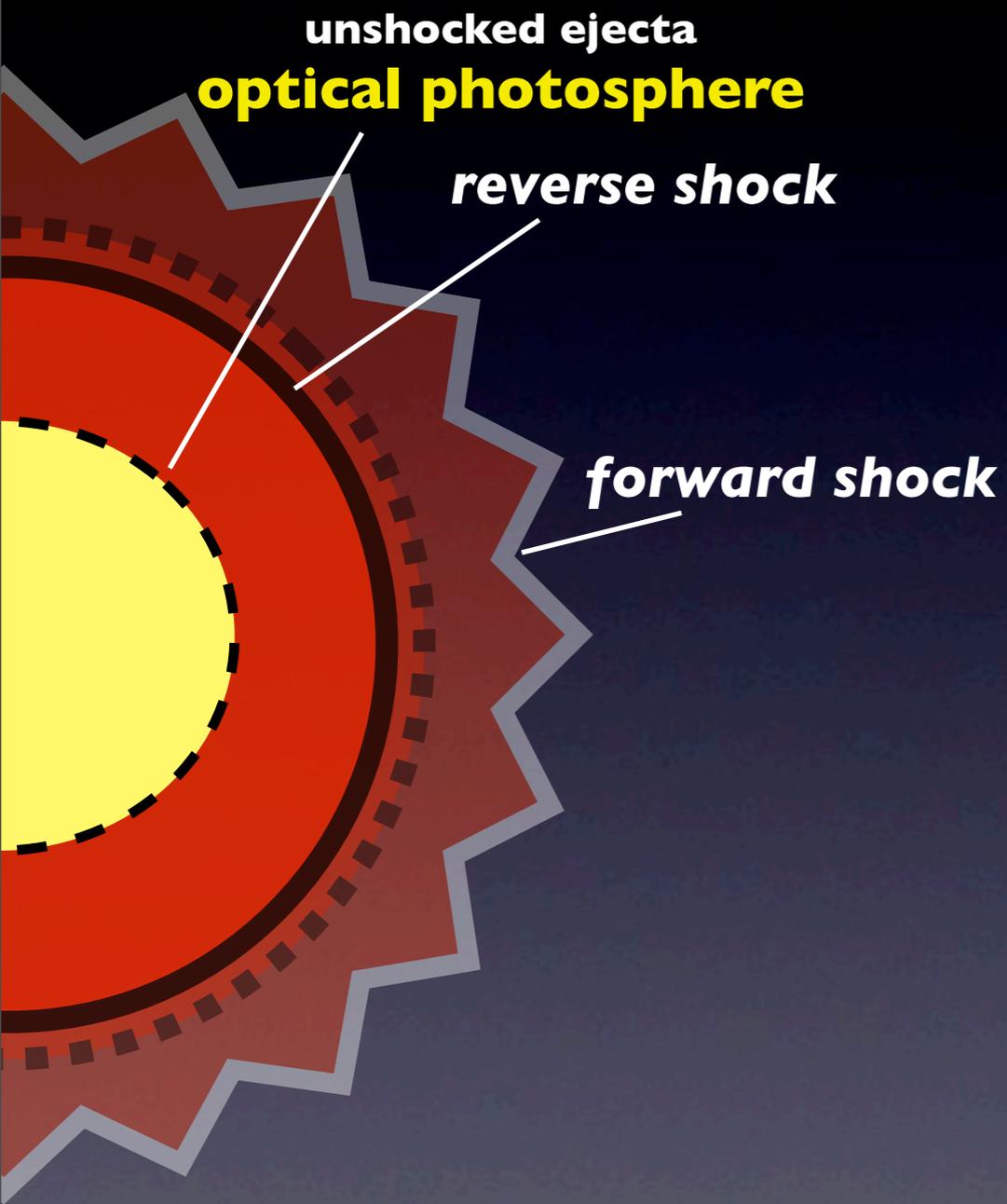
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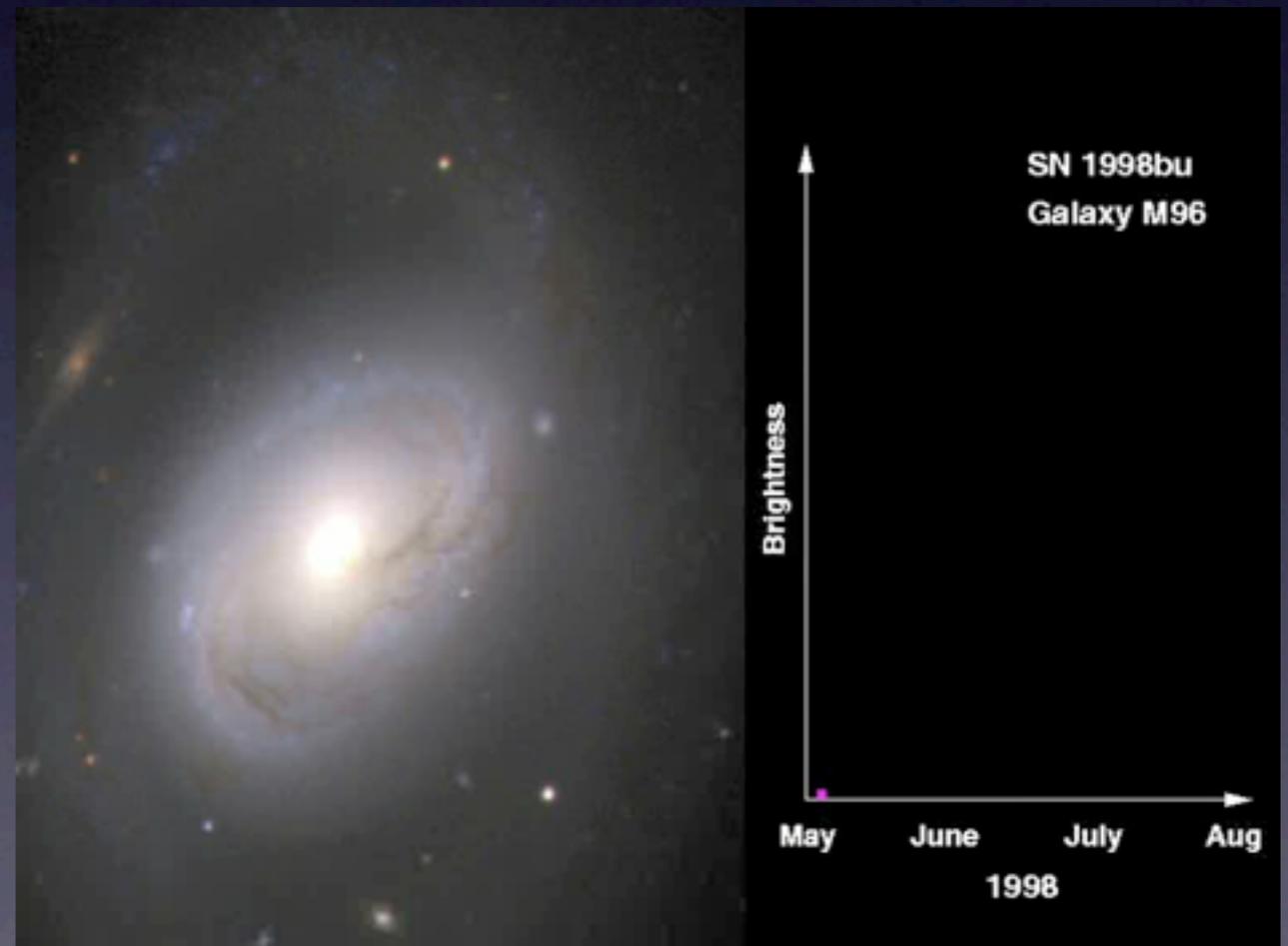
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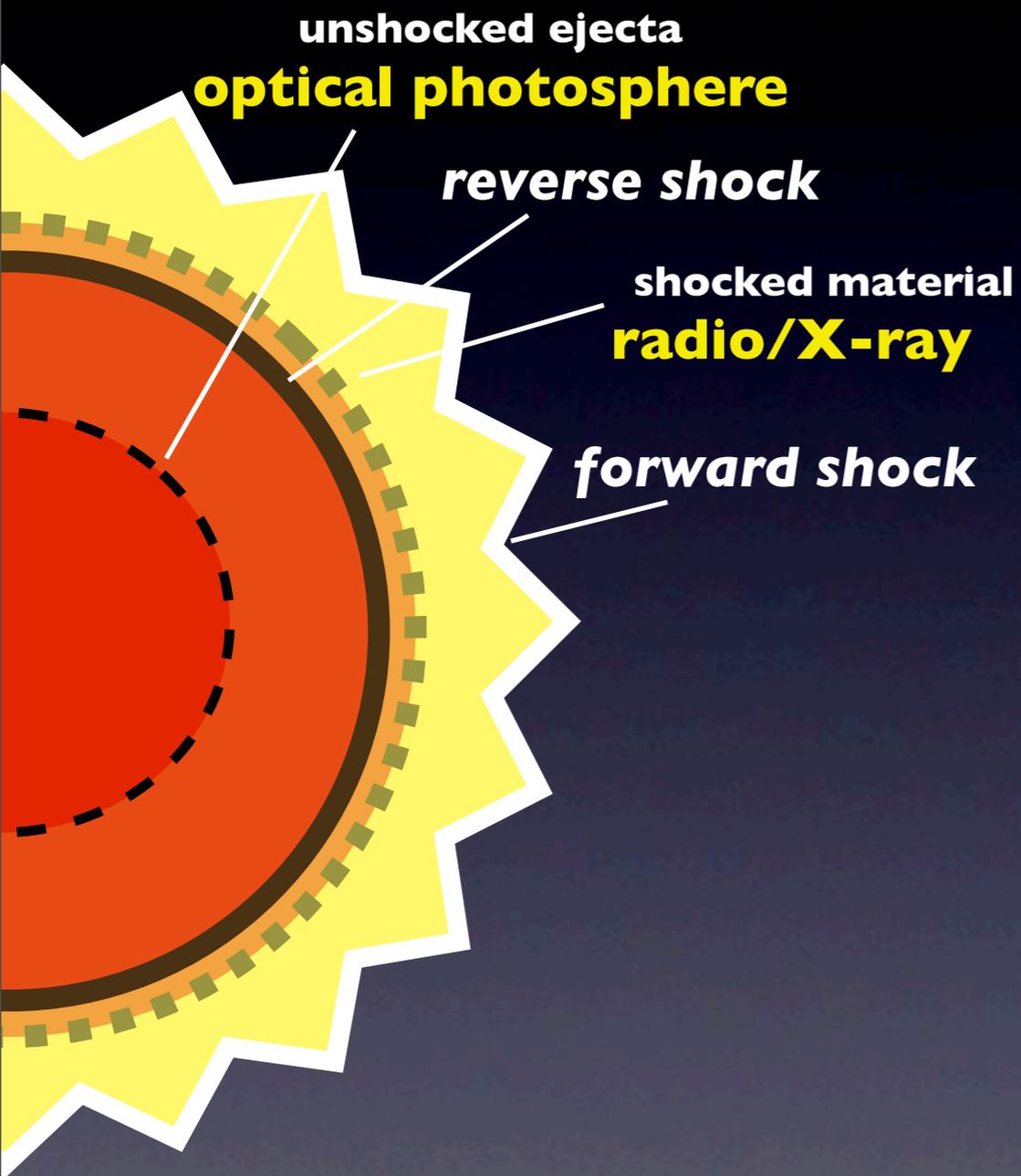
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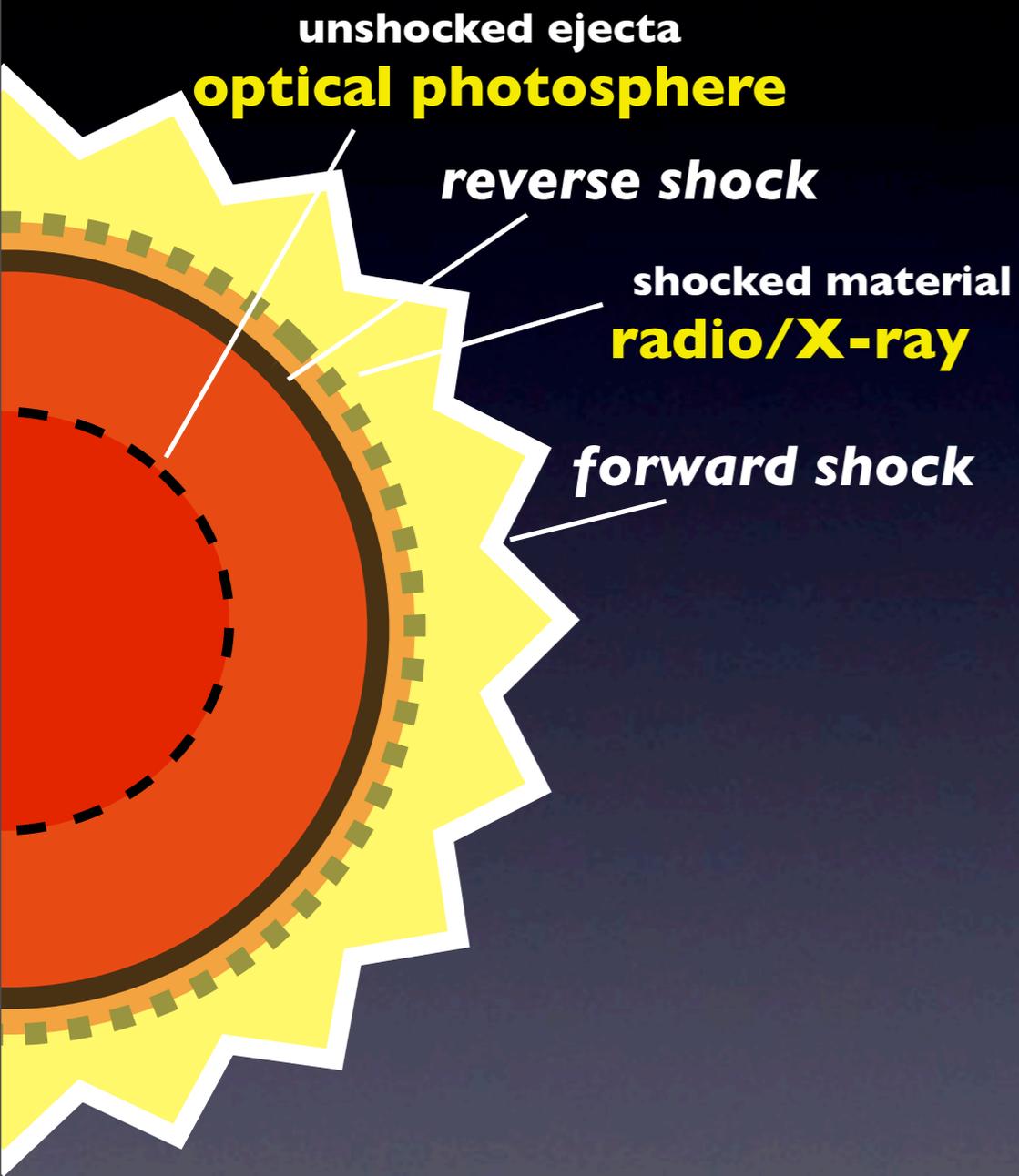
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SN 1993J
VLBI 4.9 GHz
(Credit: M. Bietenholz)

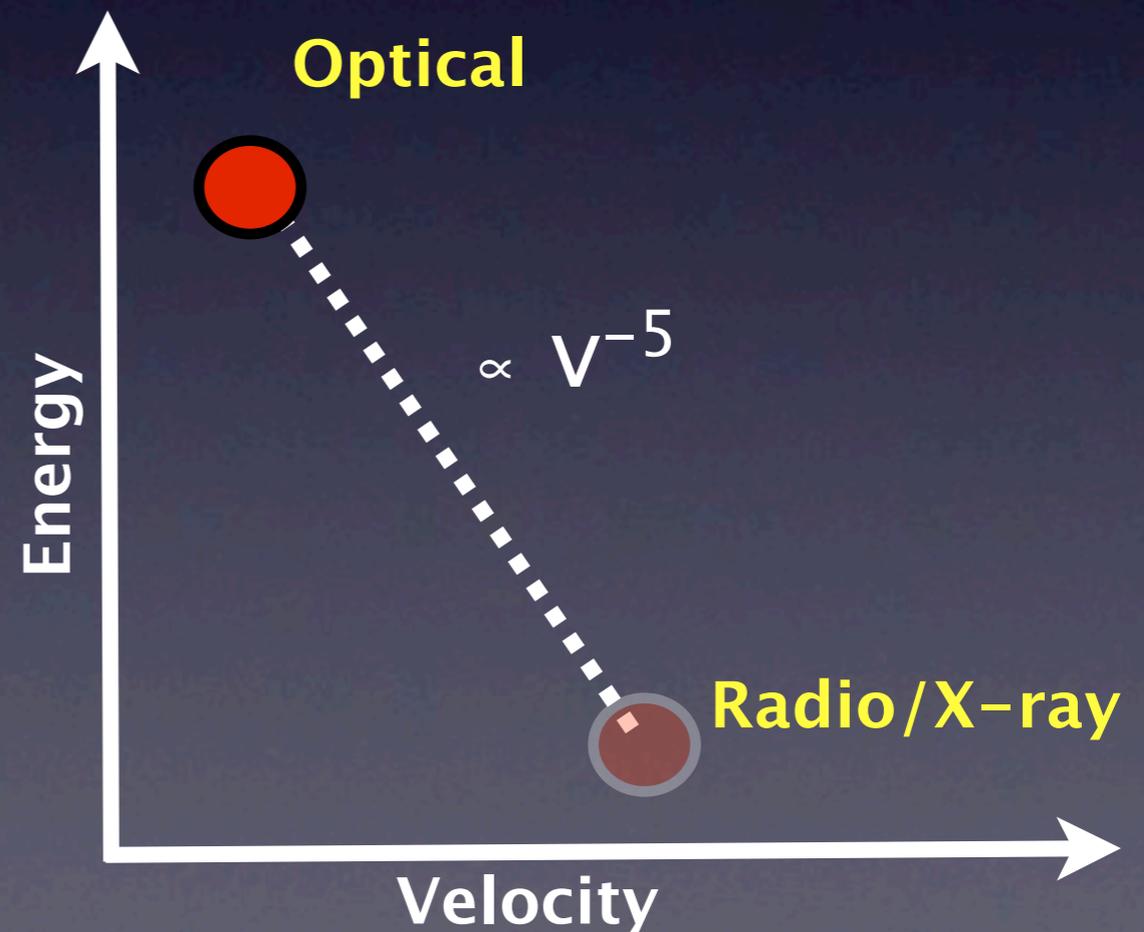
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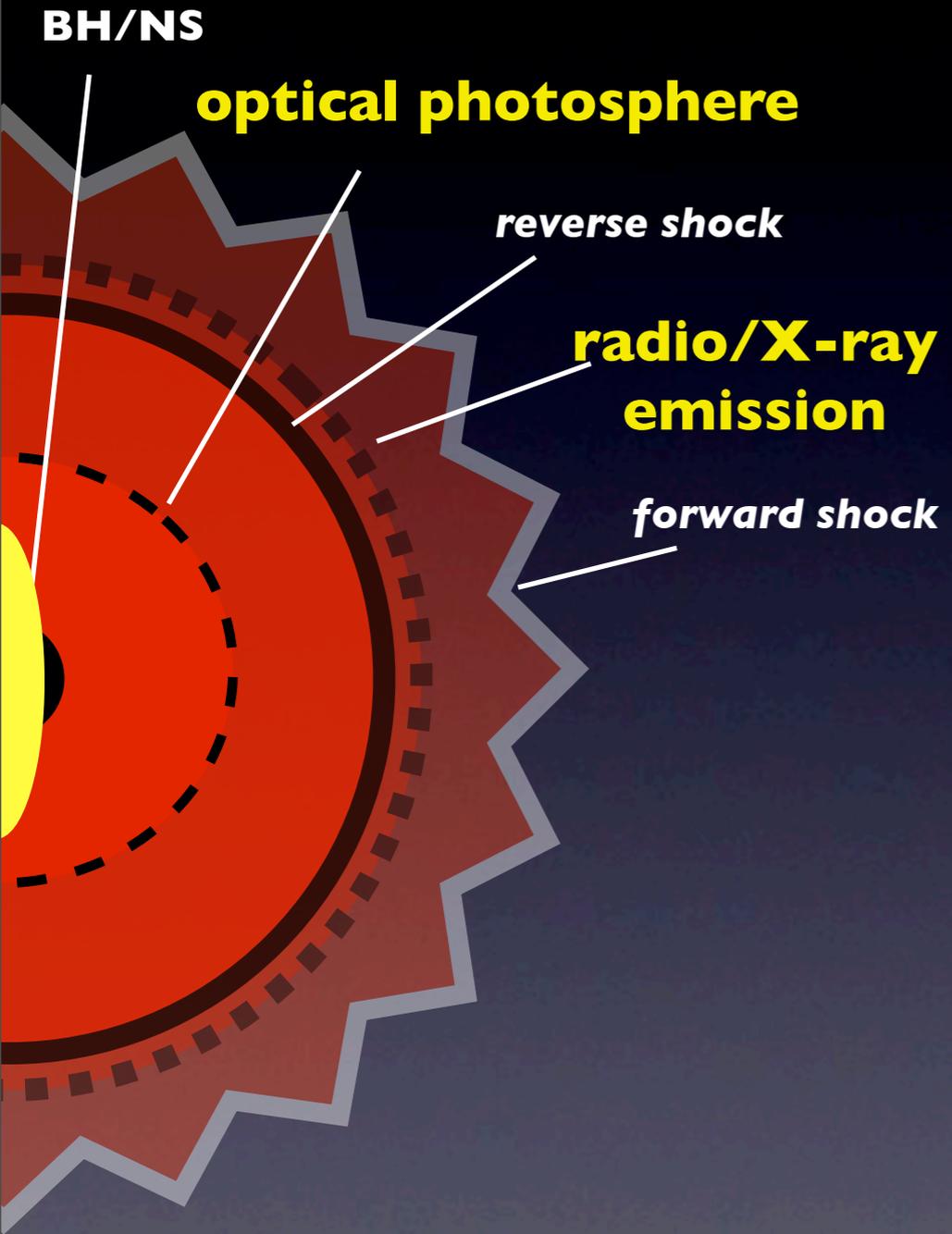
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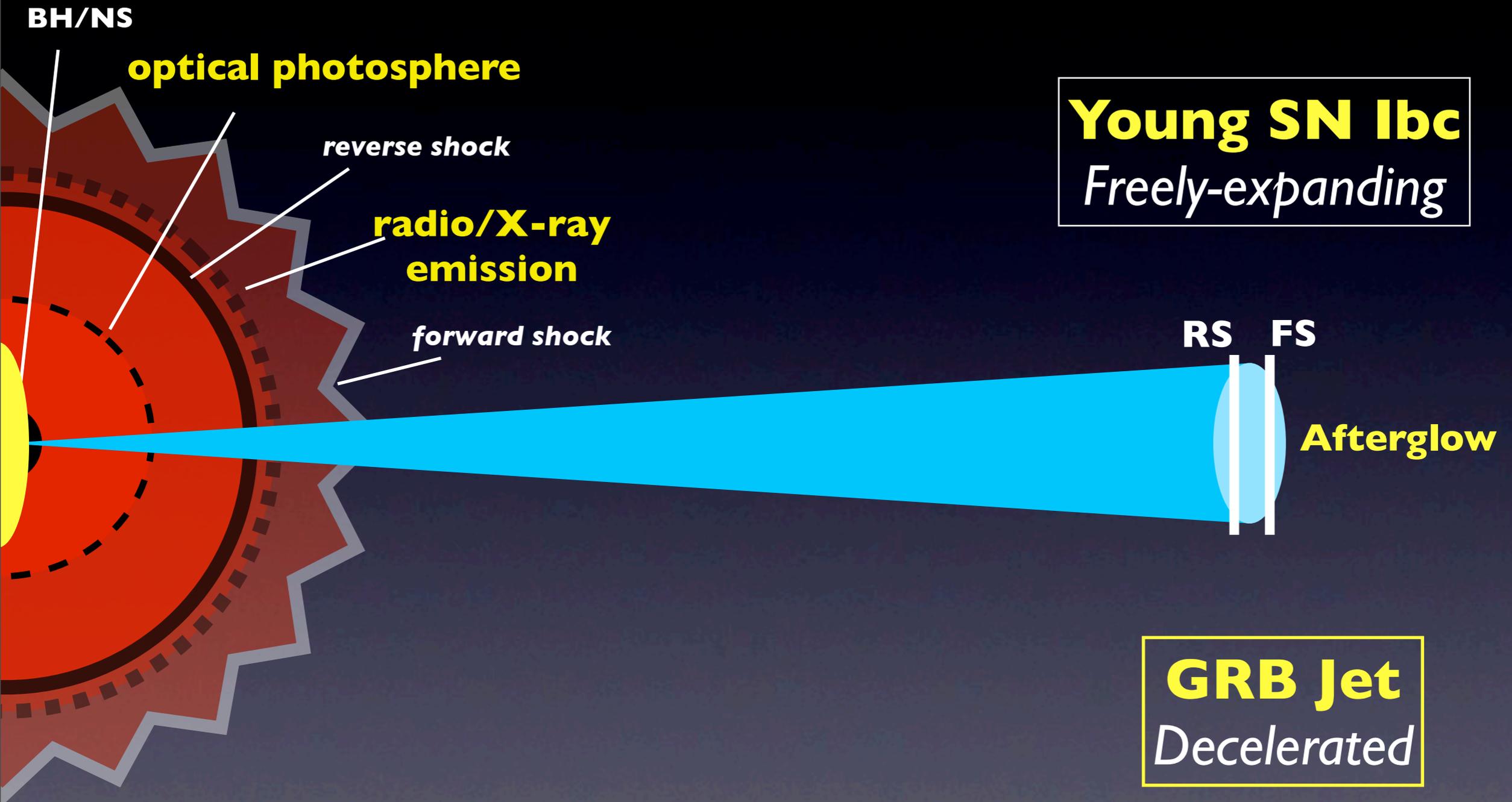


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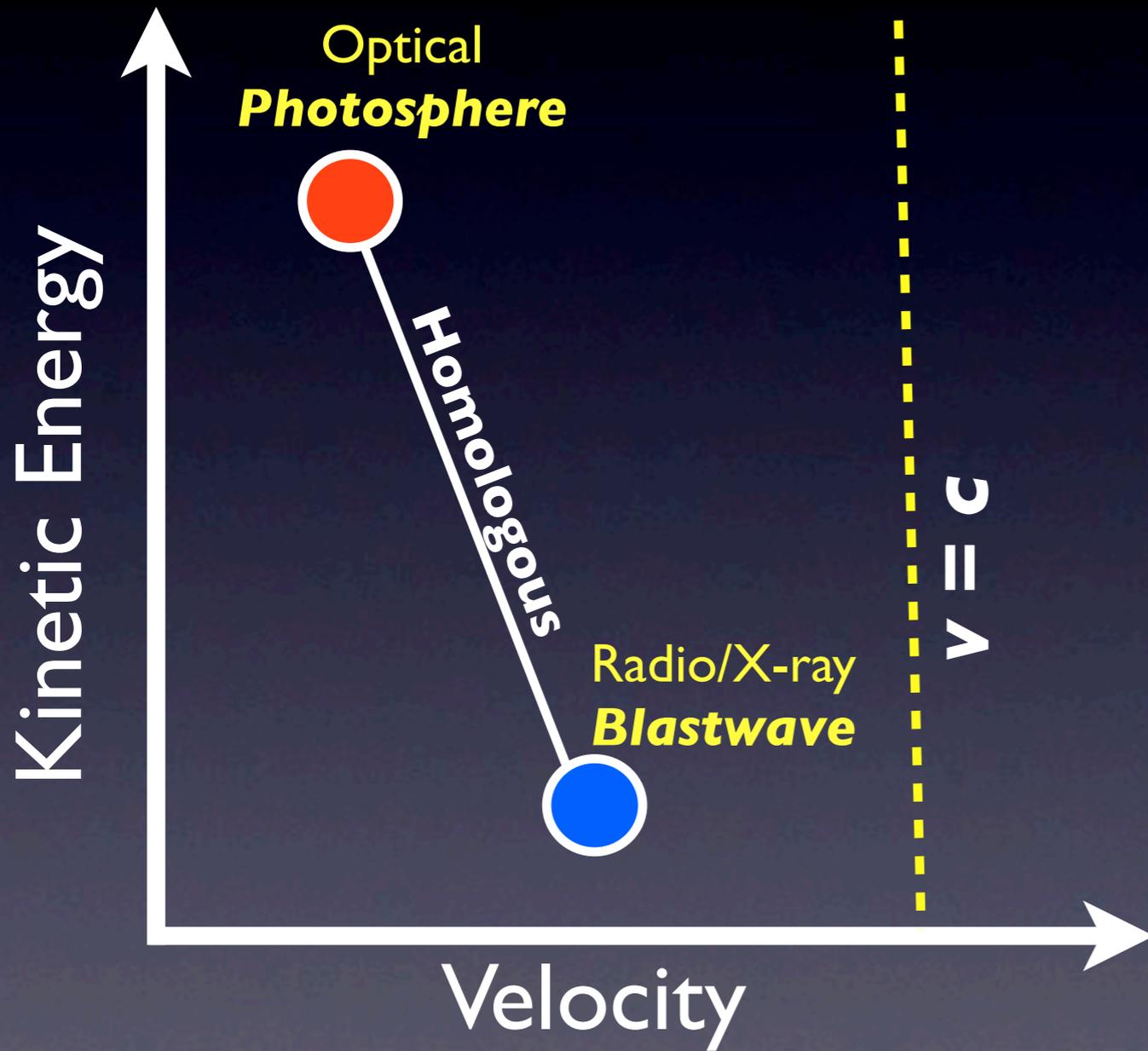


Young SN Ibc
Freely-expanding

A GRB-SN Connection



Energy-velocity coupling



Ordinary SNe Ibc:

Homologous

$$E \sim v^{-5}$$

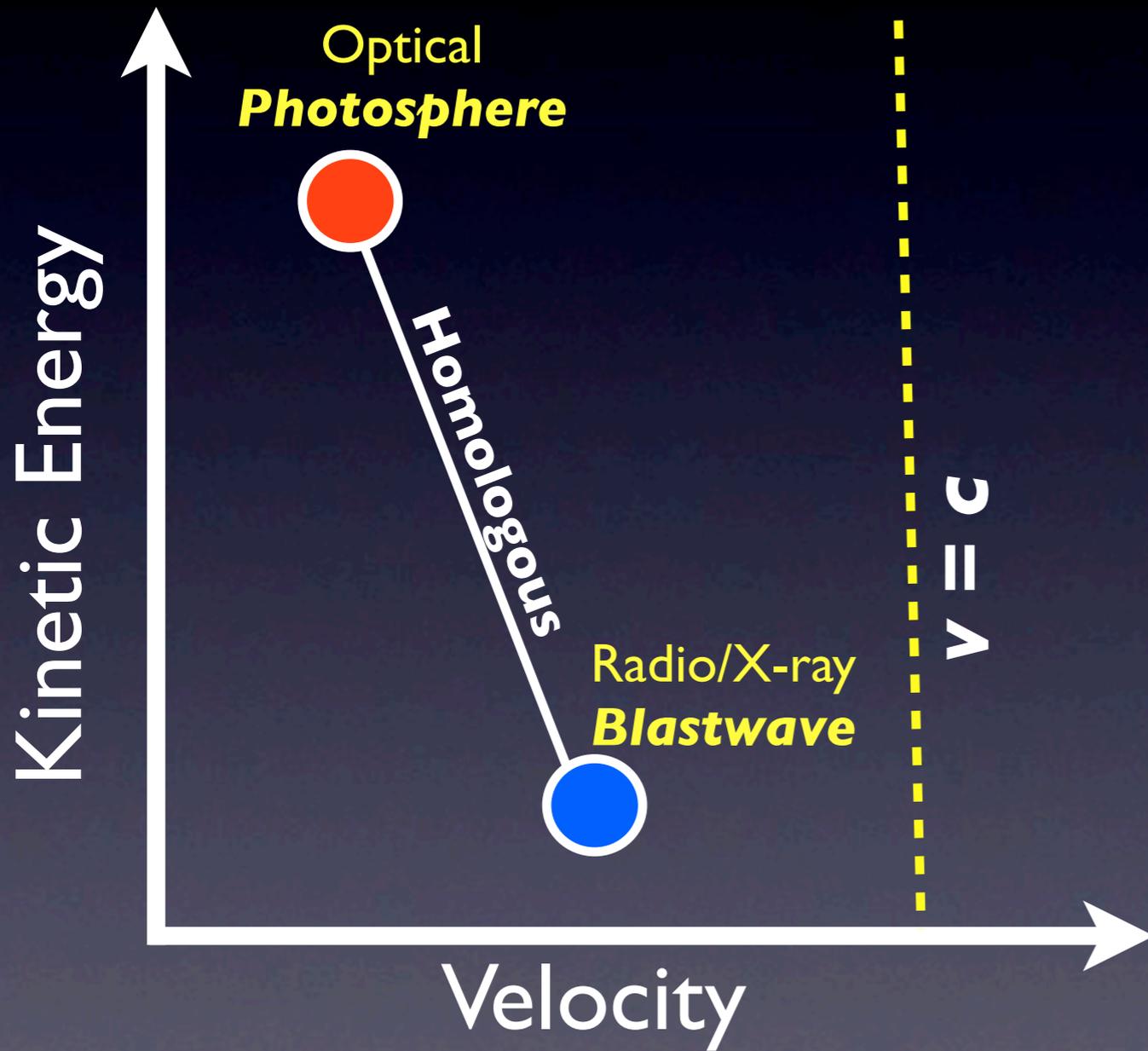
$$\text{Optical} \sim E_{\text{tot}}$$

$$\text{Radio} \sim 0.01\% \times E_{\text{tot}}$$

$v \sim c$ is possible

(Tan, Matzner, McKee 2001)

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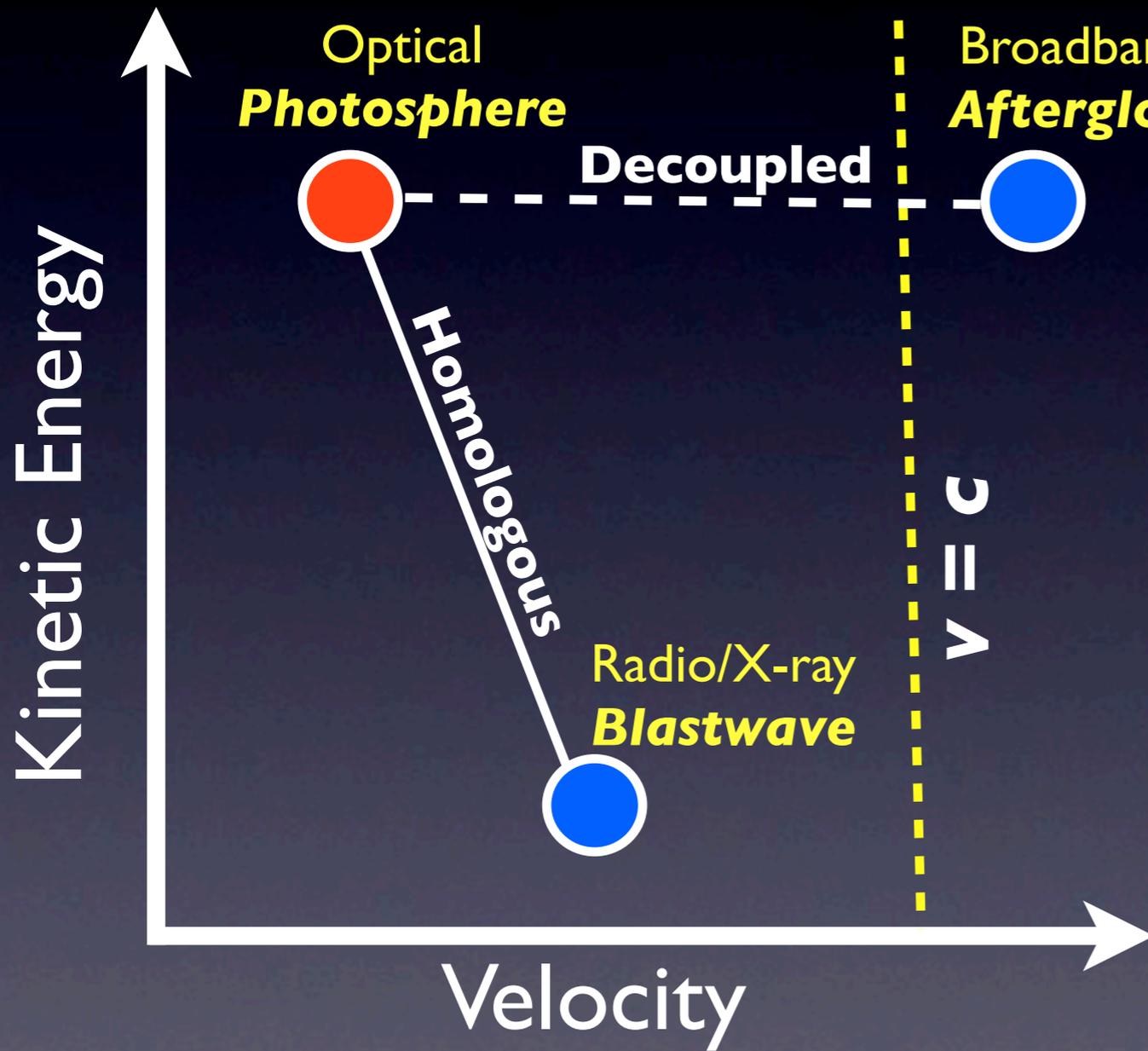
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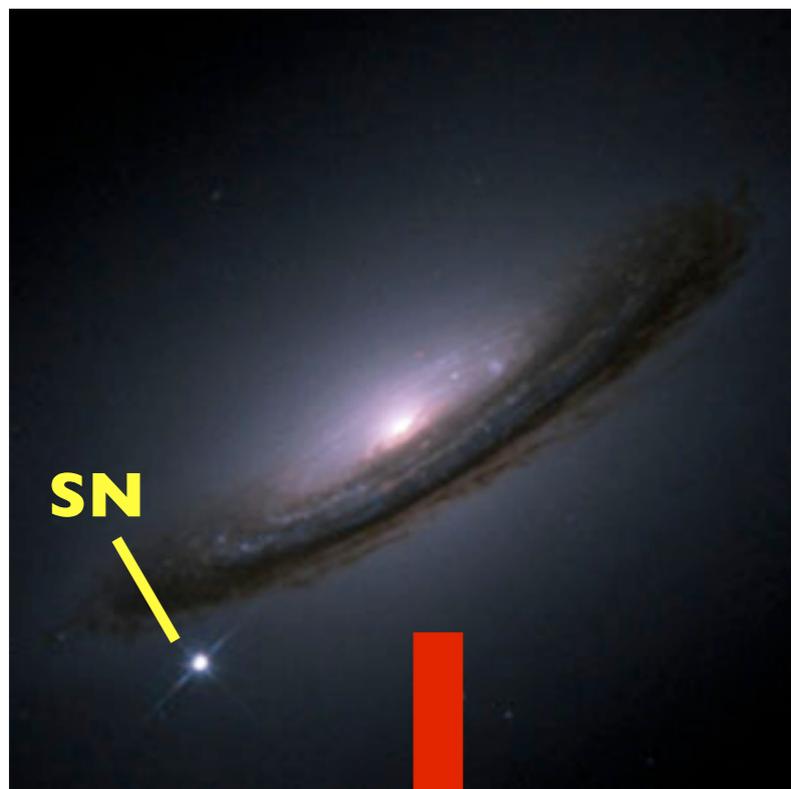
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I. Radio Hunt for Engine-powered SNe



- Target optically discovered SNe Ibc**
- *why?* nearly all GRBs have a SN
 - satellites miss *weak GRBs, off-axis GRBs*
 - SN discoveries rapidly, *publicly announced*
 - VLA ToO's for all SNe Ibc at $z < 0.04$
 - *8-year* baseline

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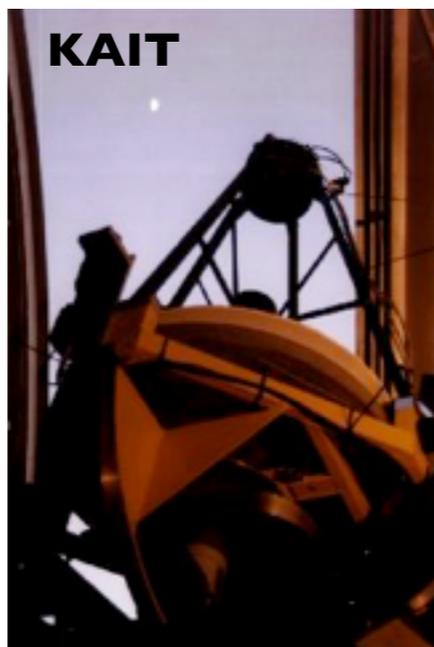
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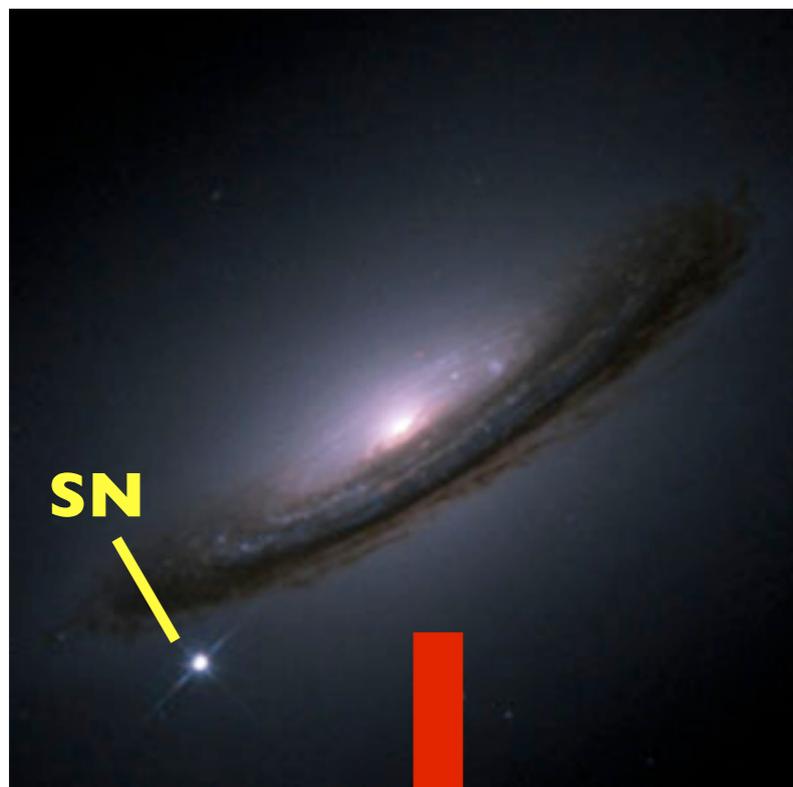


Robotic Searches



Radio Hunt for Er

Very Large Array



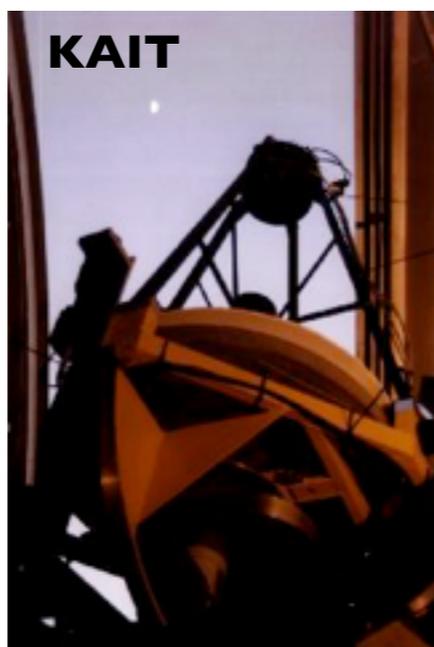
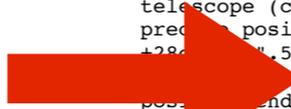
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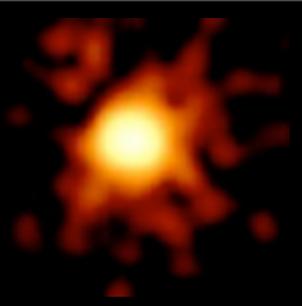
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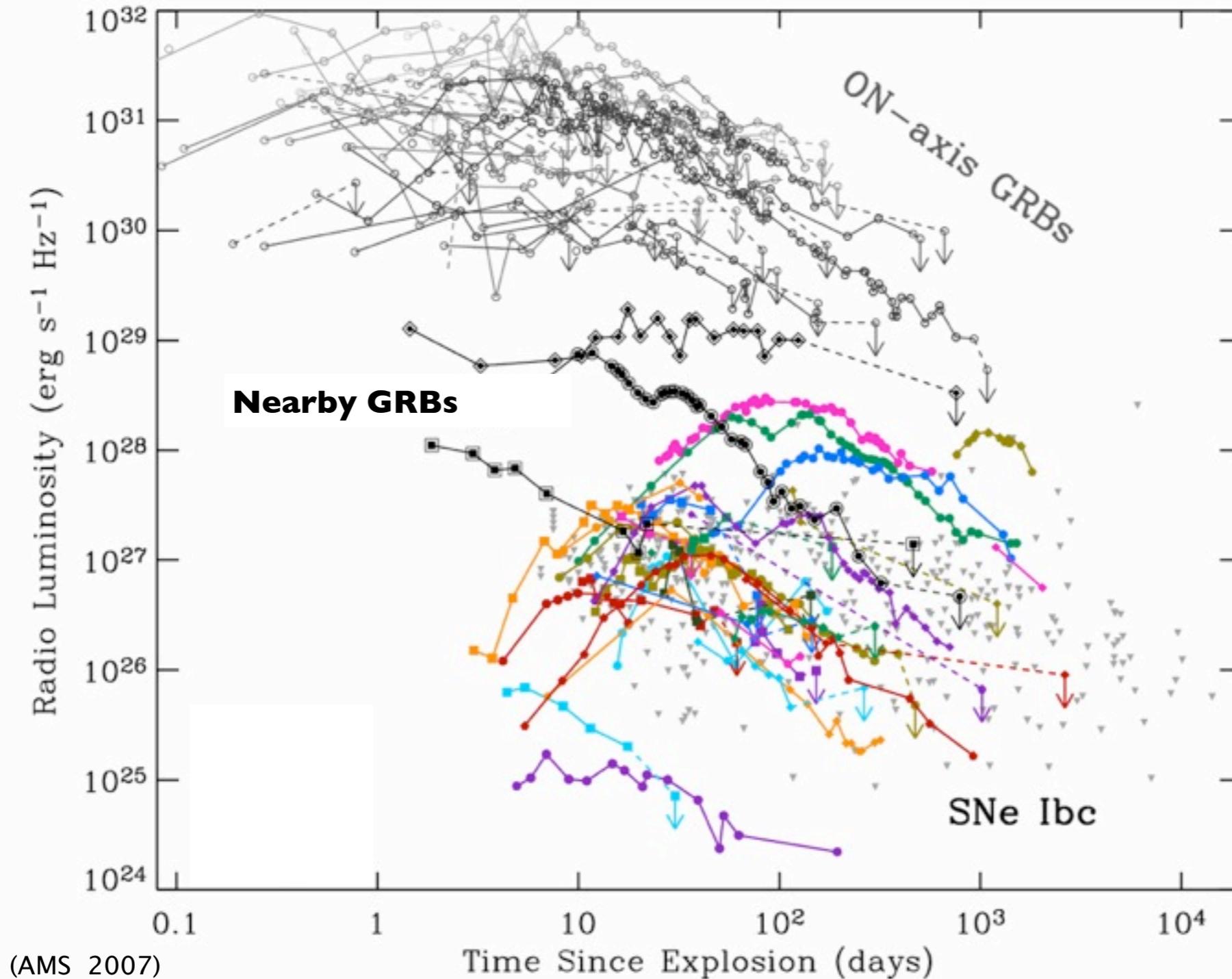


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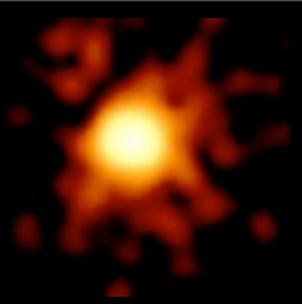
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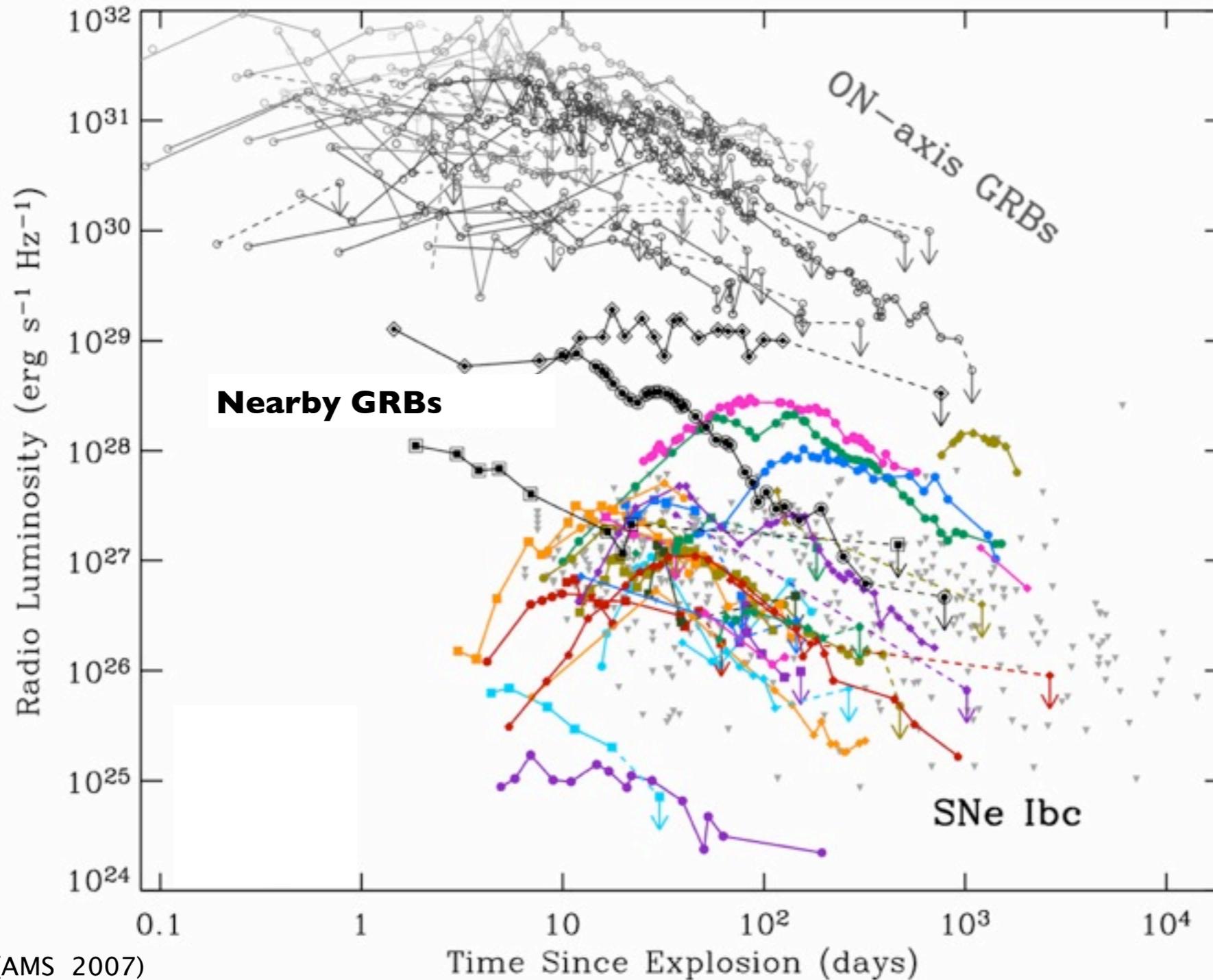
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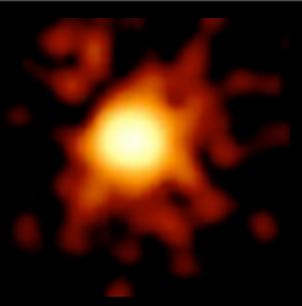
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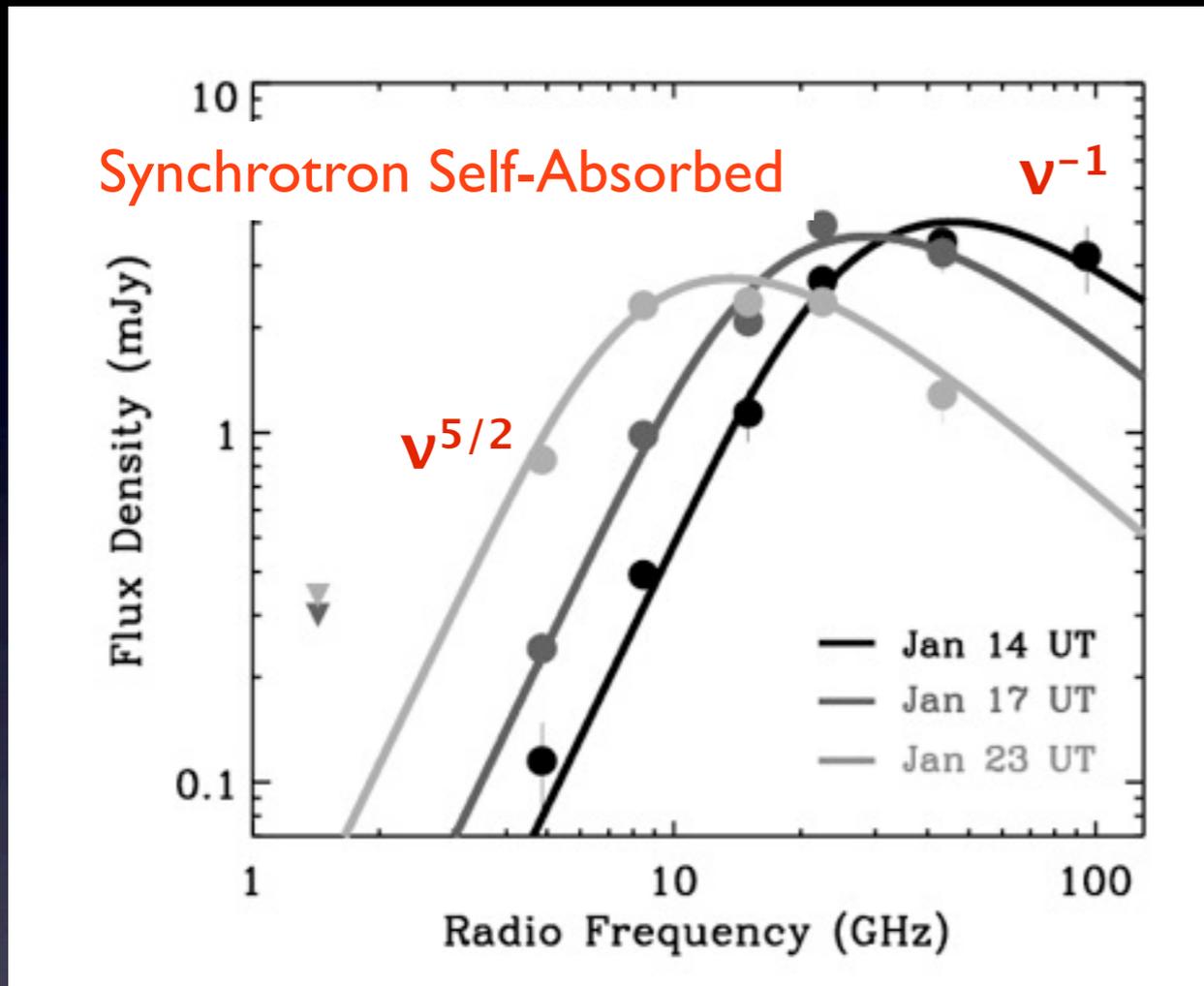
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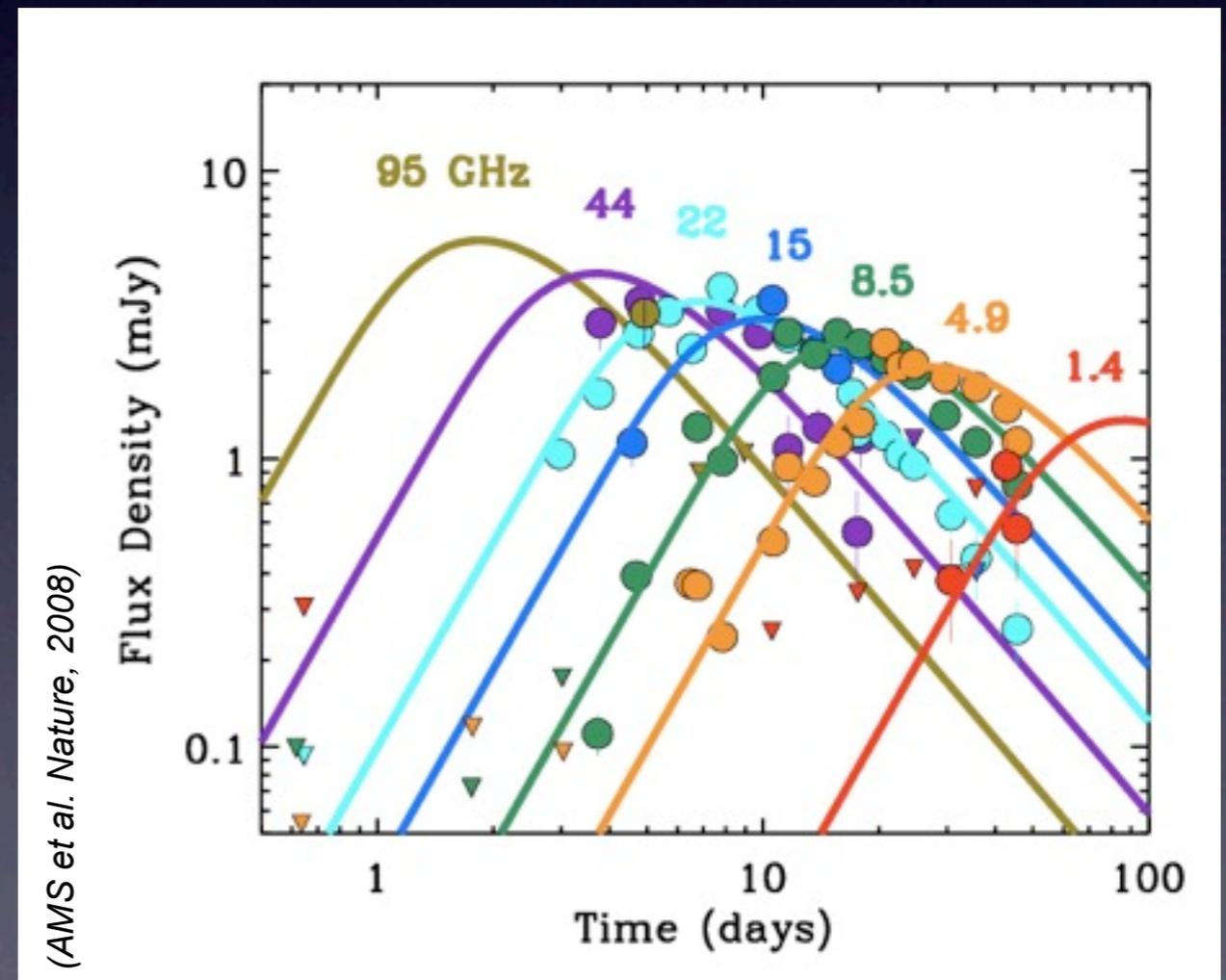
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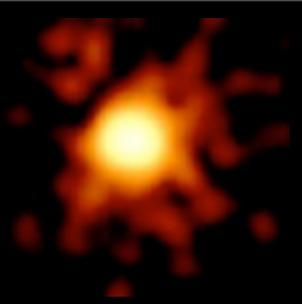
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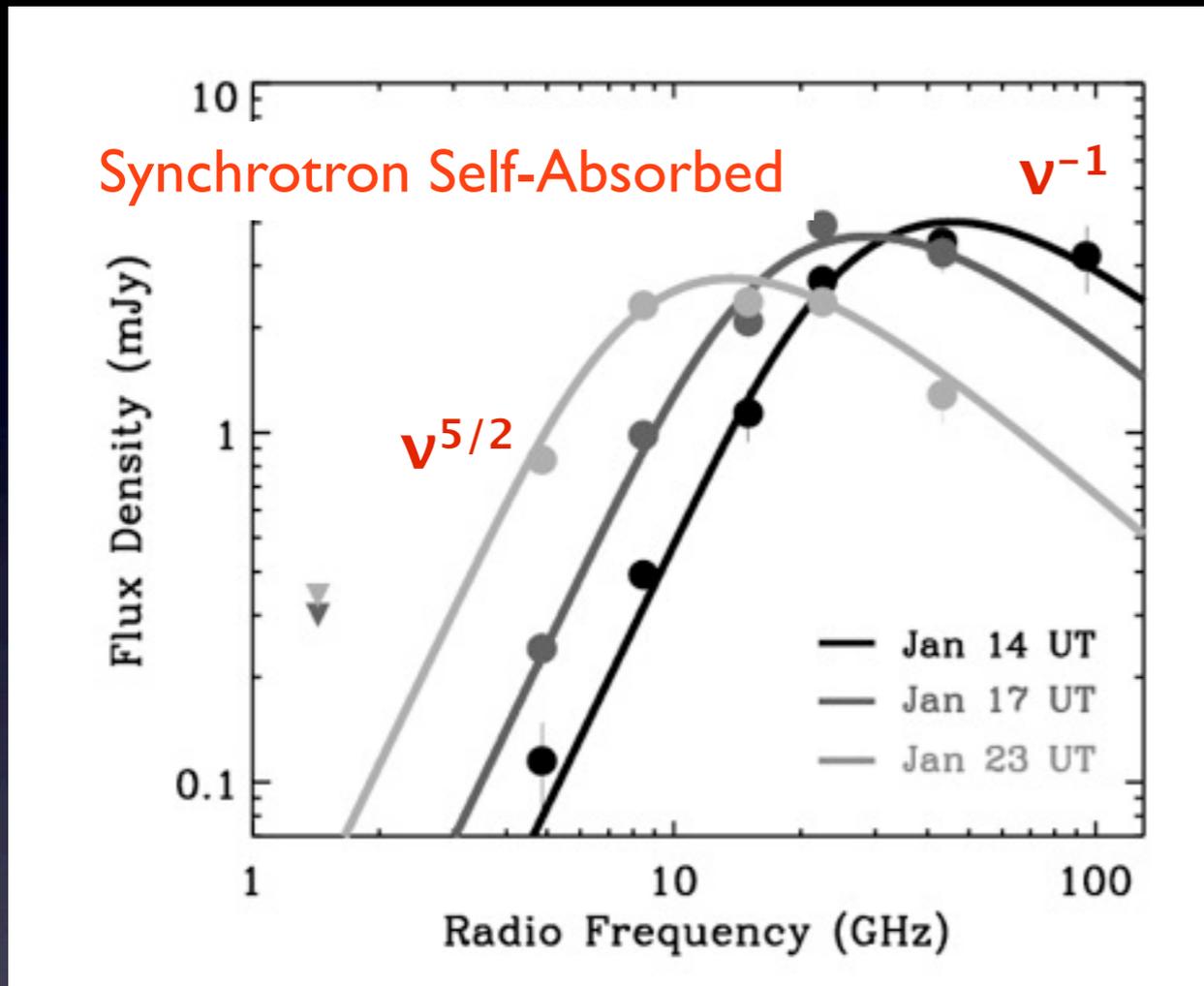
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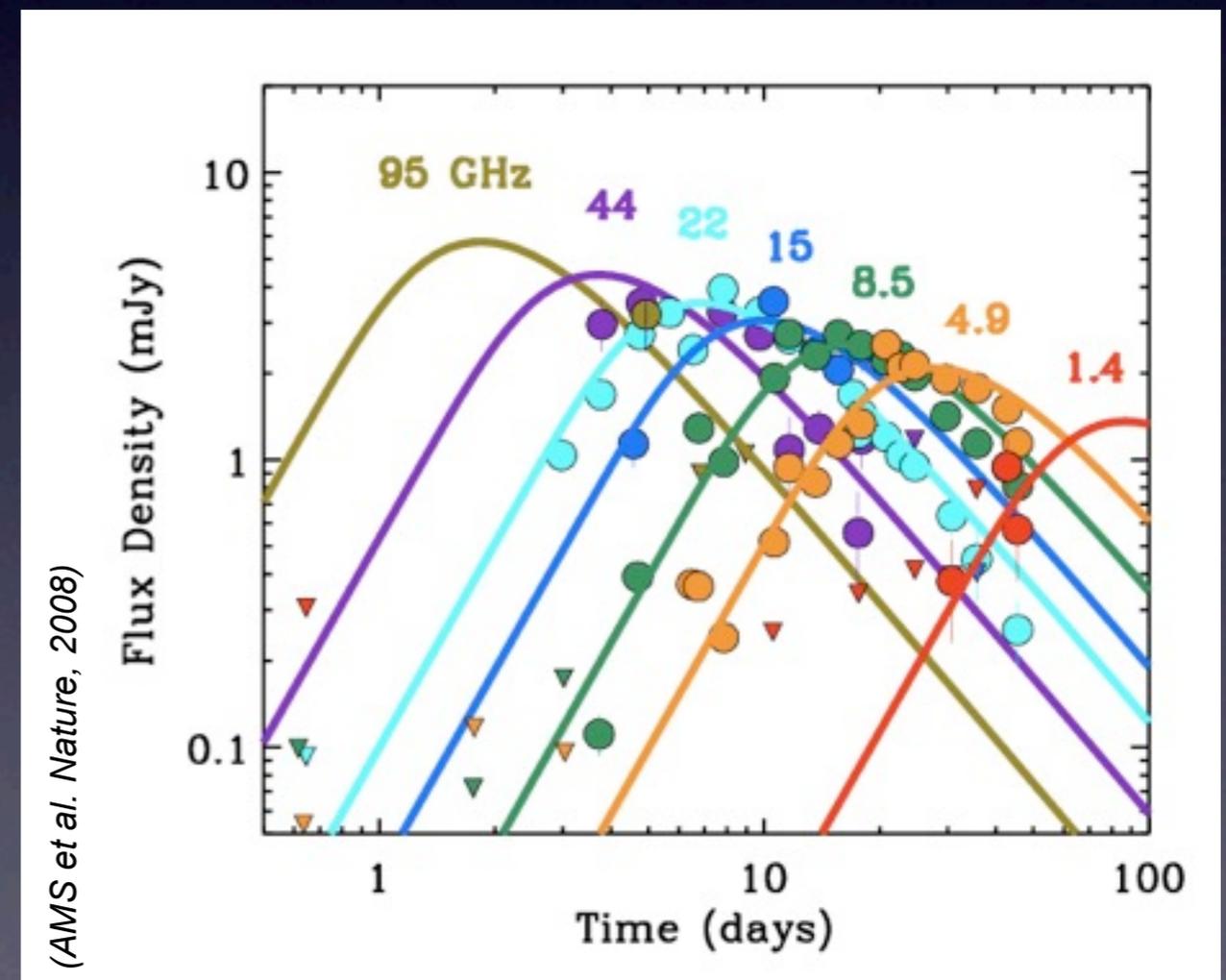
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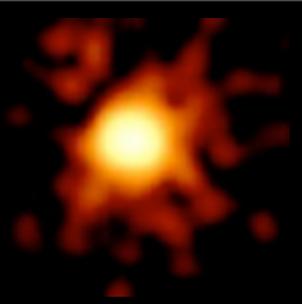
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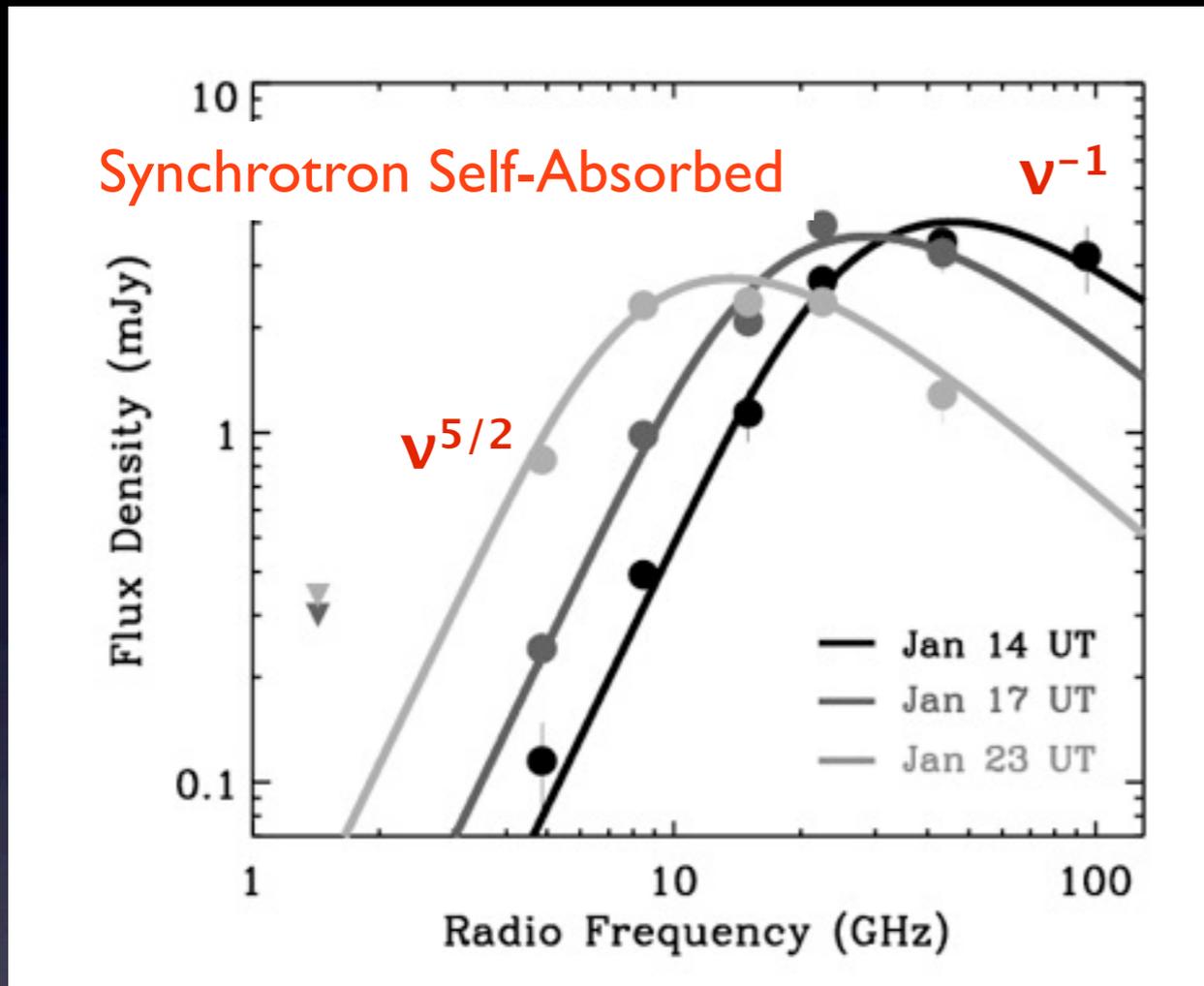
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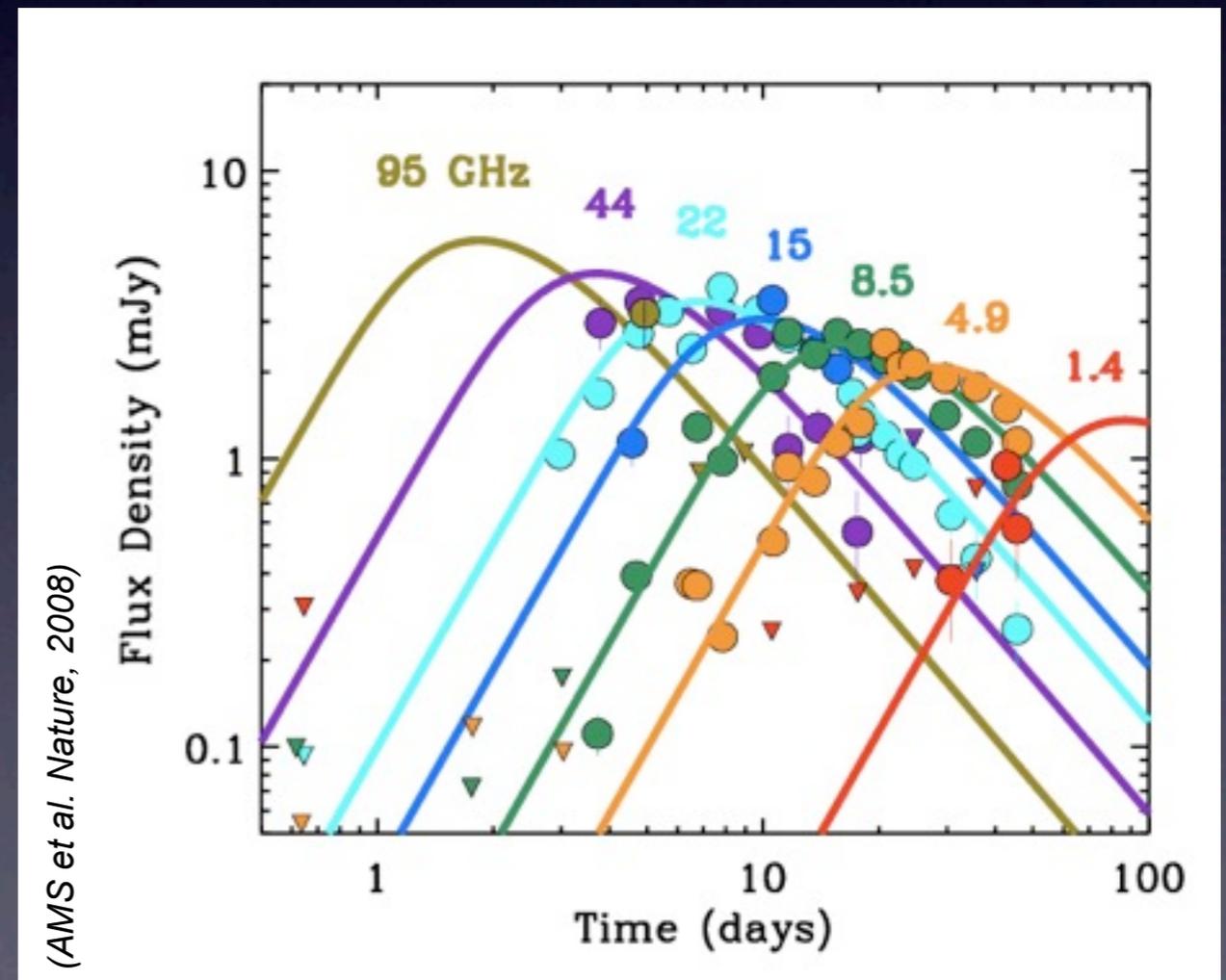
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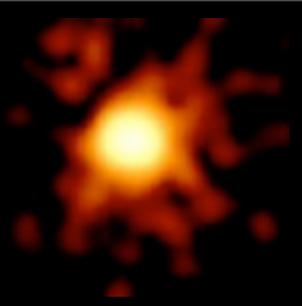
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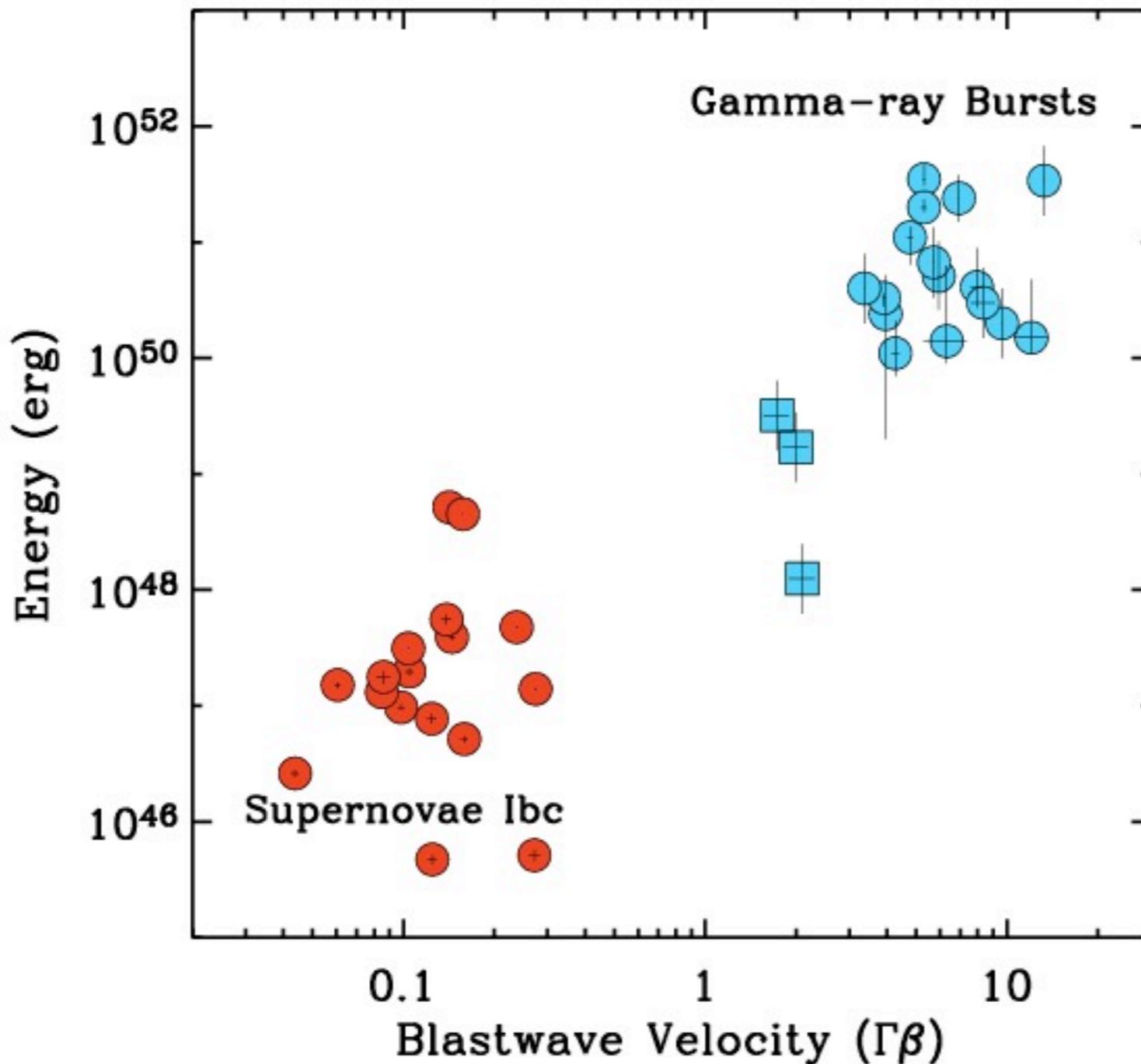
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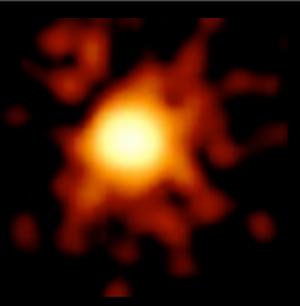
$$v \approx 0.15c$$

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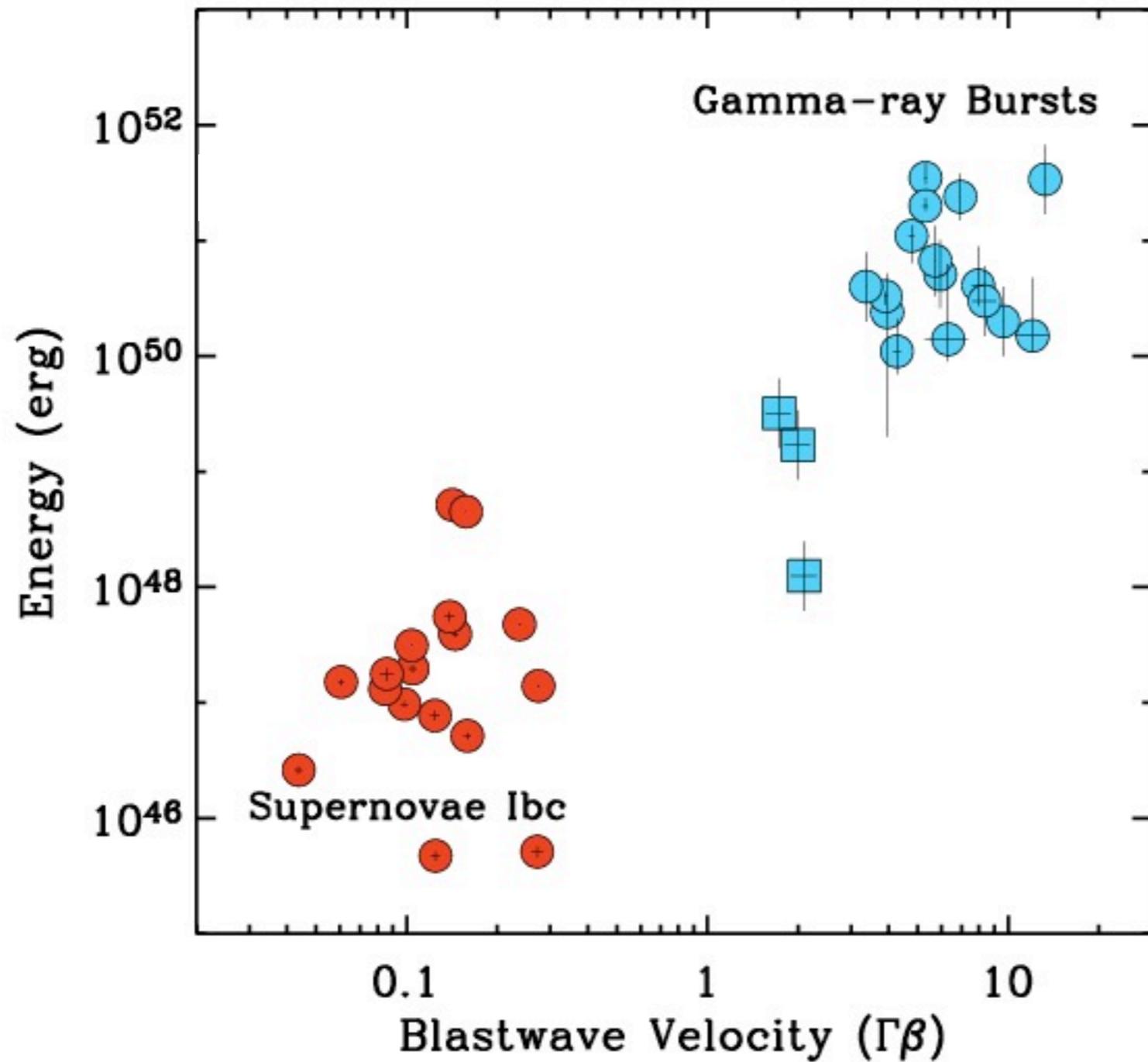
**Engine-driven
Supernovae**

$$\Gamma\beta > 1$$

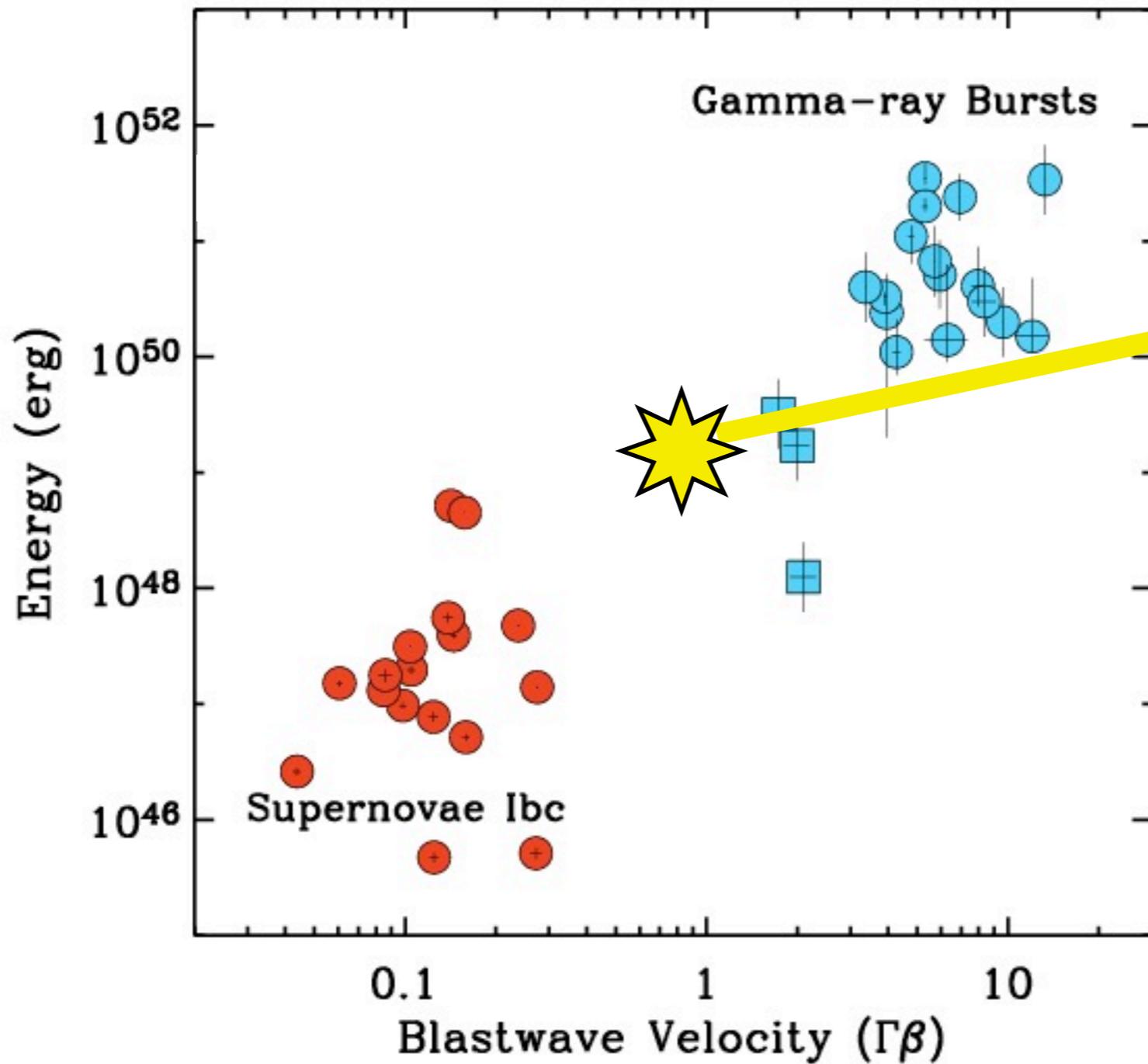
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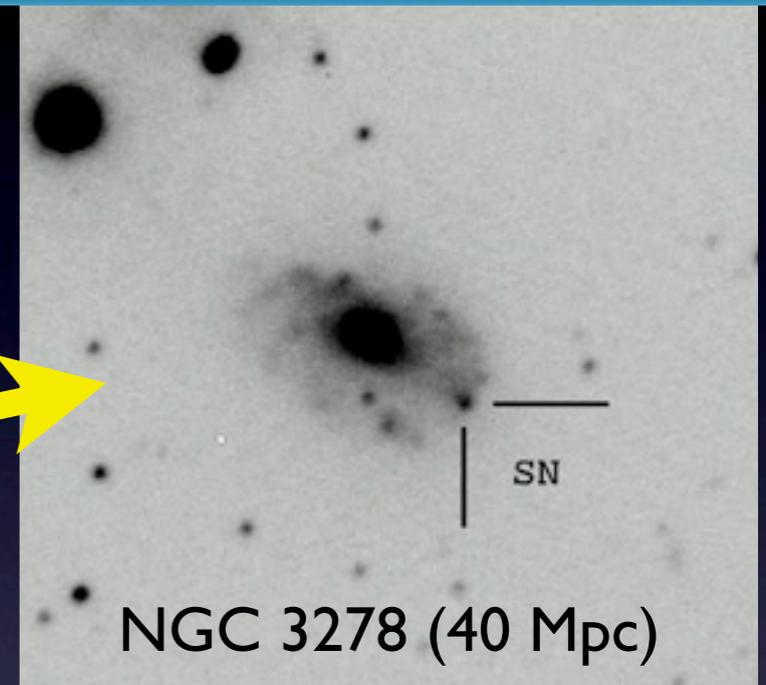
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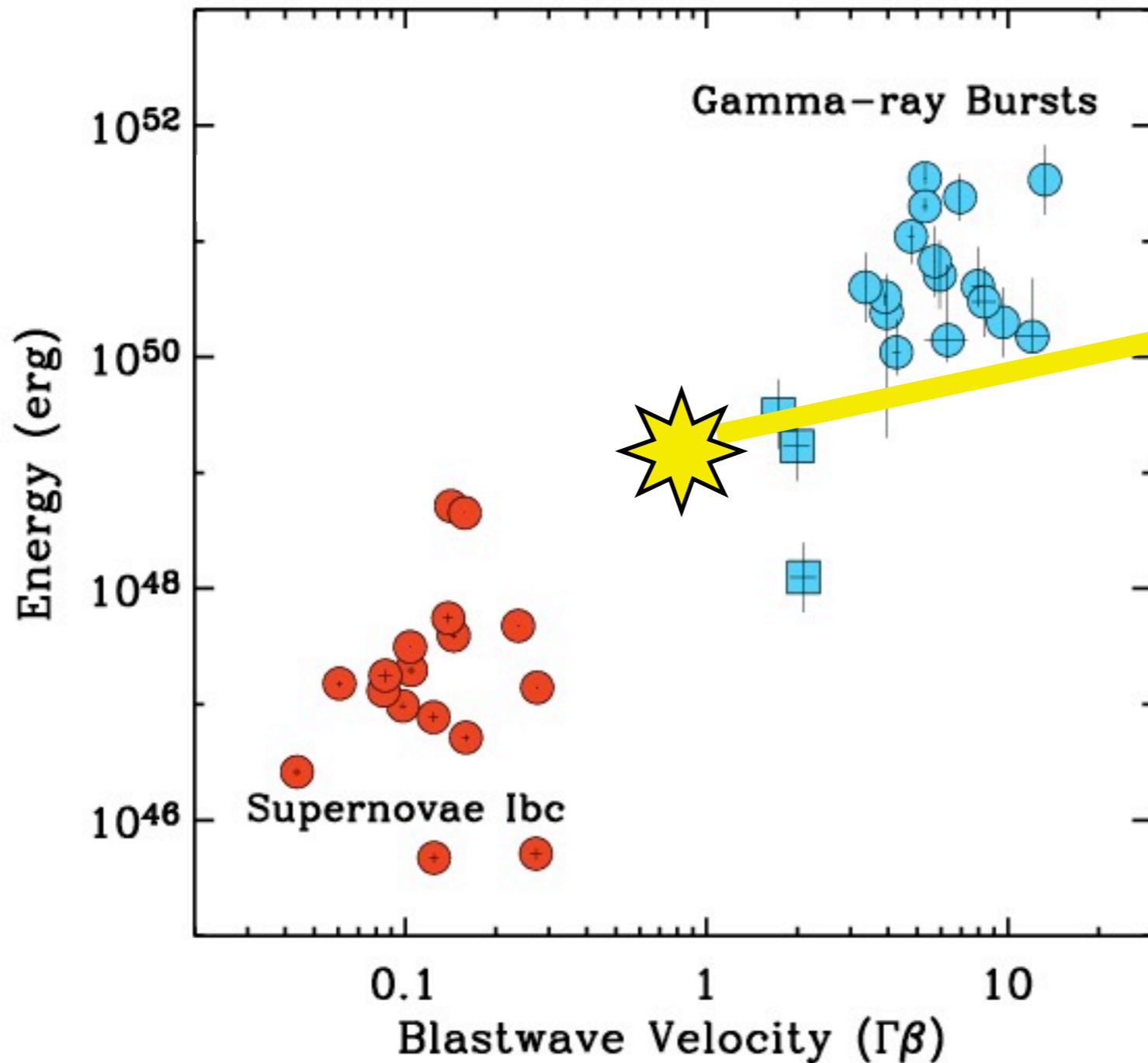
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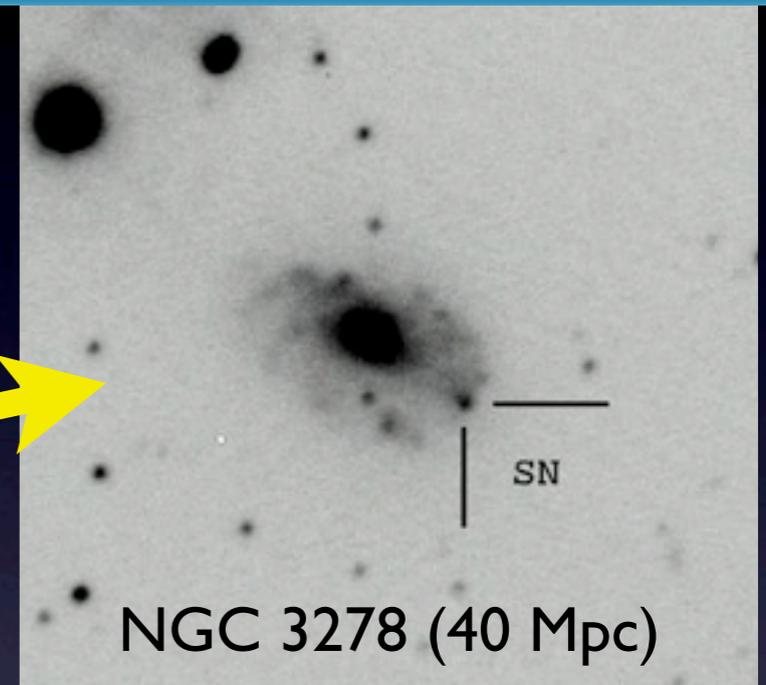
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NGC 3278 (40 Mpc)

SN 2009bb

Discovered: Mar 21 2009

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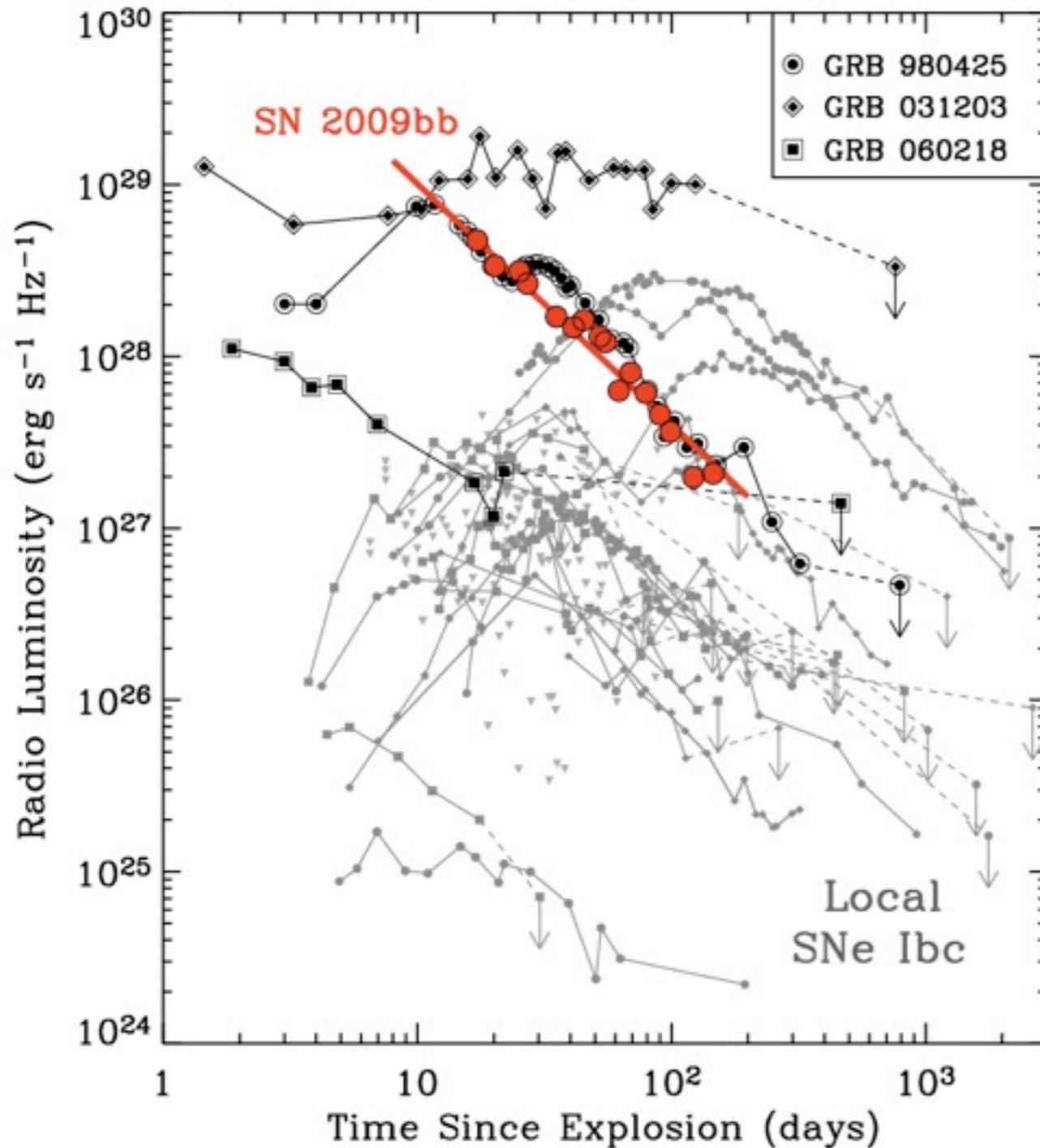
SN Ic-BL

(Pignata et al 2010)

NO coincident GRB

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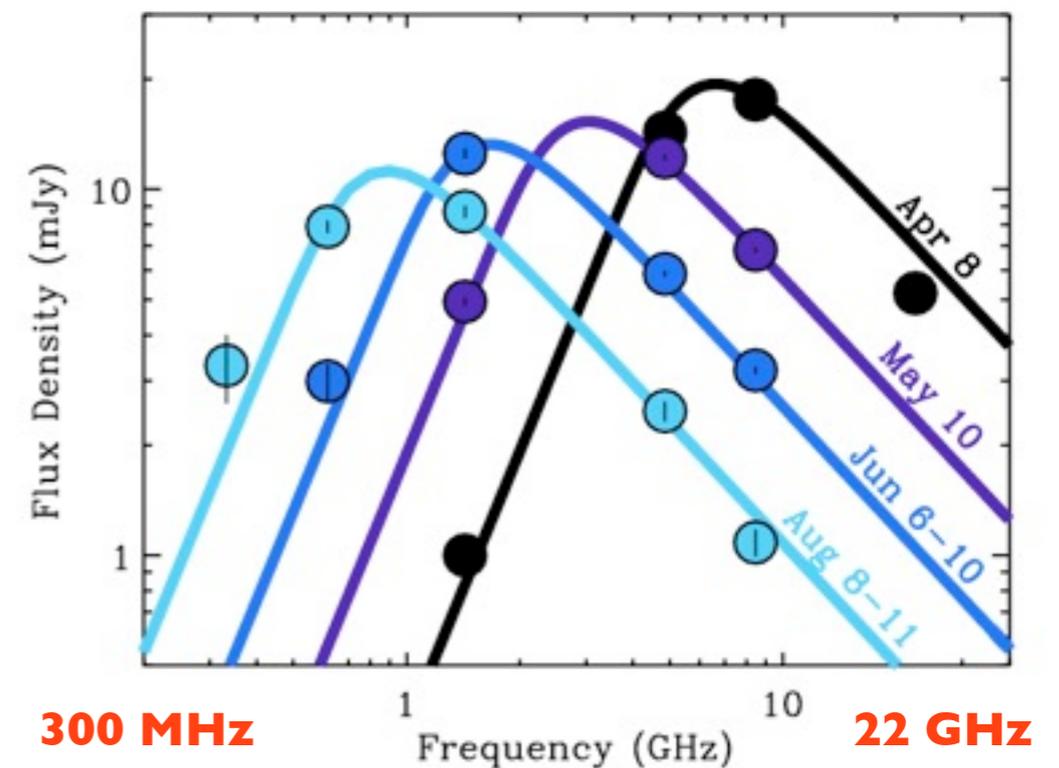
An Engine-driven SN without a GRB trigger



$L_\nu \sim 5 \times 10^{28}$ erg/s/Hz
(more luminous than 142 VISioNS SNe Ibc)

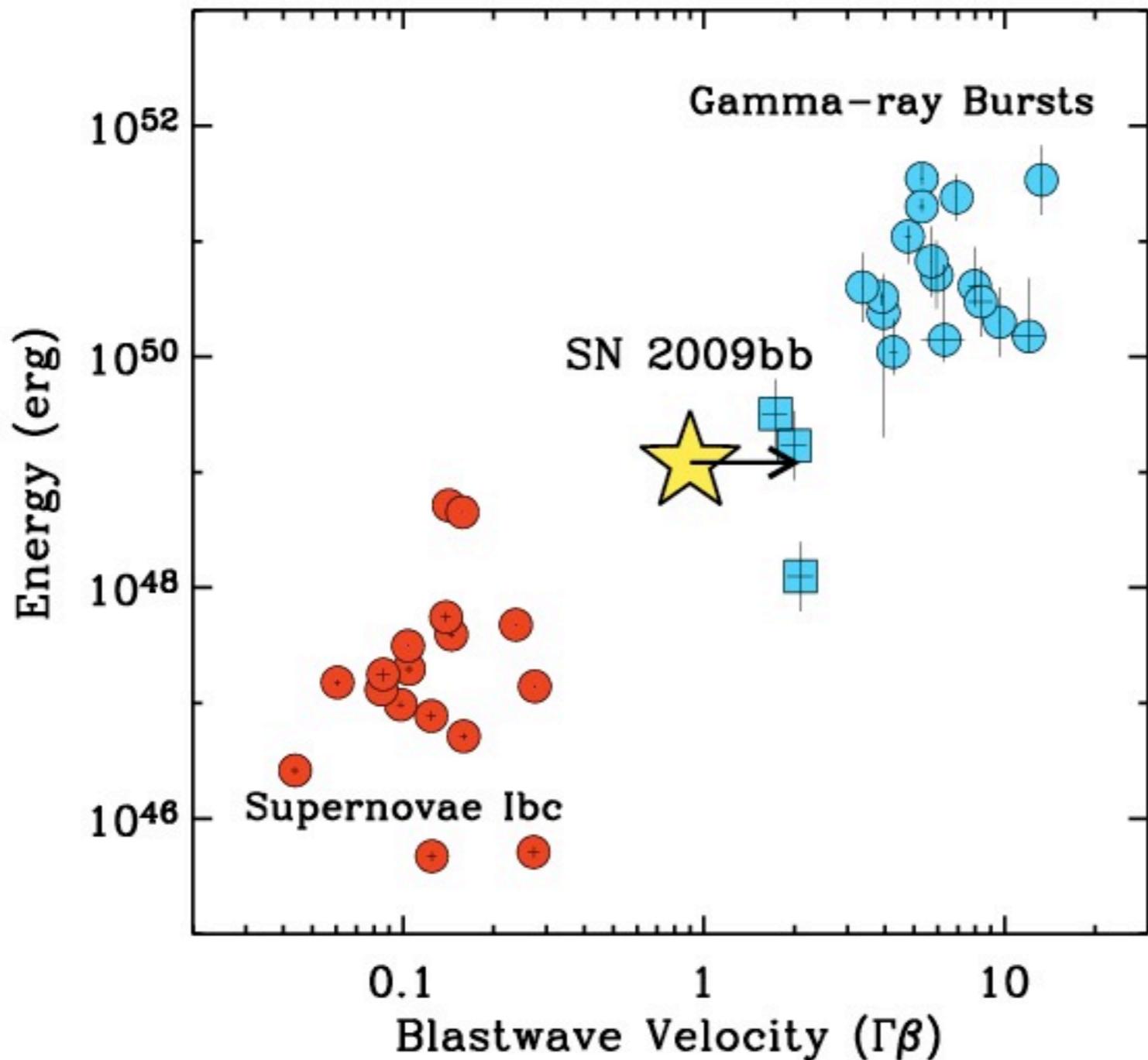
**VLA + Giant Meterwave
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Synchrotron self-absorbed radio spectra



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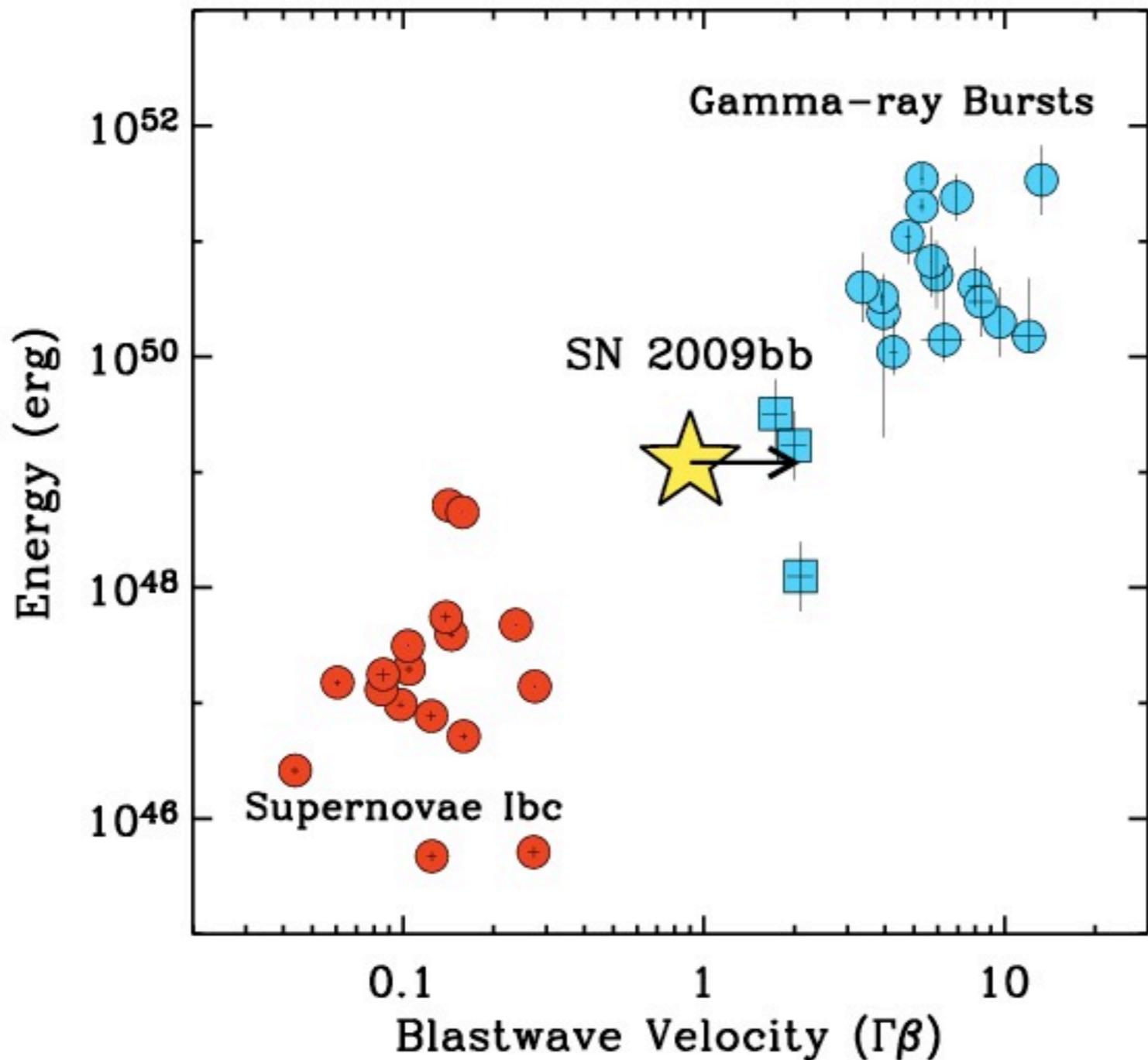
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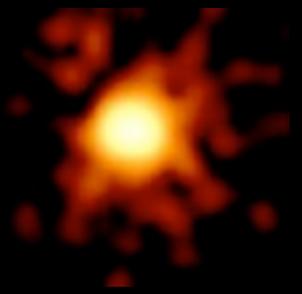
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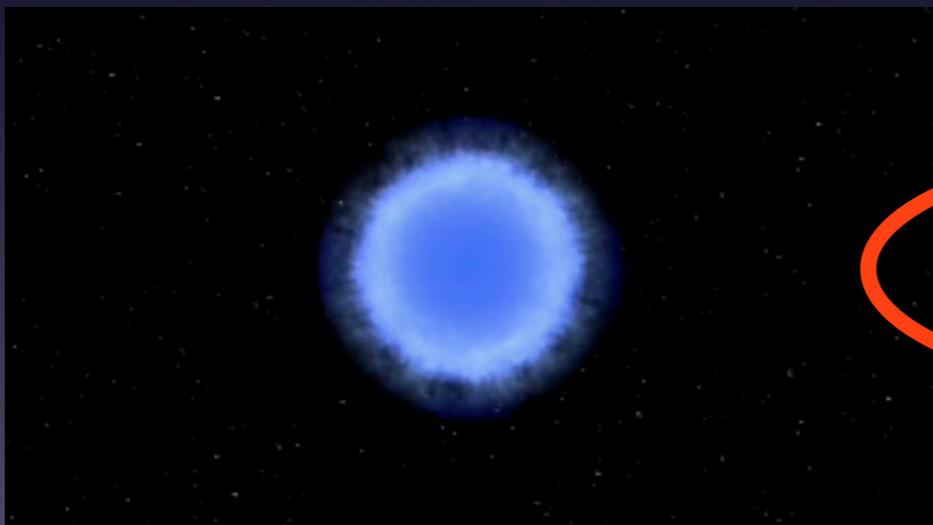
Supernovae Ibc

$10^4 \text{ Gpc}^{-3} \text{ yr}^{-1}$

Long GRBs

$0.5 \text{ Gpc}^{-3} \text{ yr}^{-1}$ (on-axis)
jets $\sim 5\text{-}10$ deg

$50 \text{ Gpc}^{-3} \text{ yr}^{-1}$
(0.5%)



$\times 0.7^{+1.6}_{-0.6\%} =$



✓ Consistent with rate of nearby GRBs

Revealing engine-driven SN without a satellite trigger



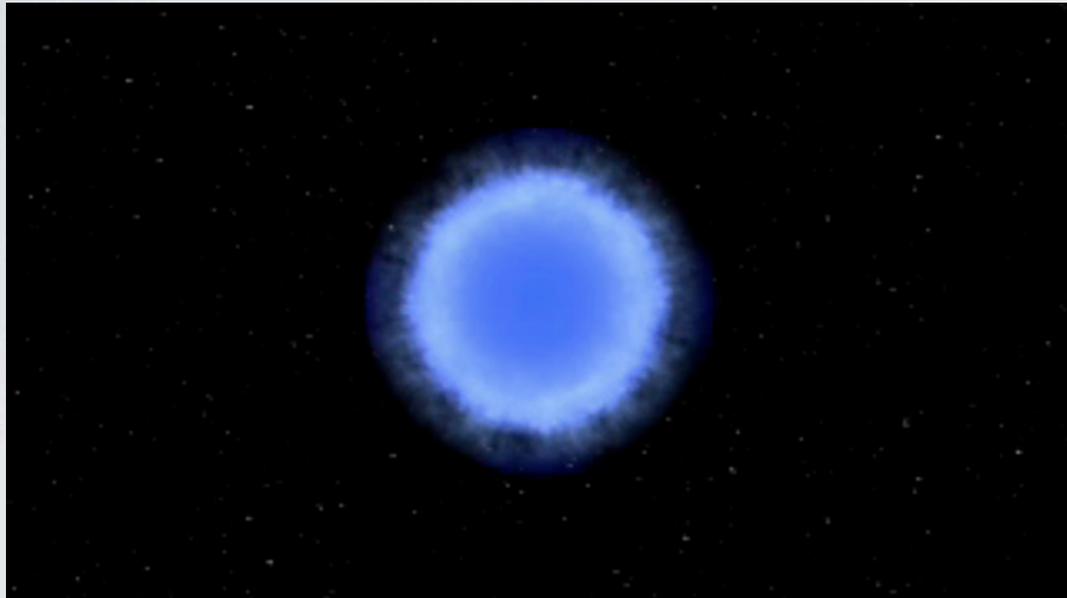
Nearby GRB-SNe ($z < 0.1$)

Υ -ray satellites \Rightarrow 0.3 engine-driven SN/yr

optical + radio \Rightarrow 1 engine-driven SN/yr

3 x higher discovery rate

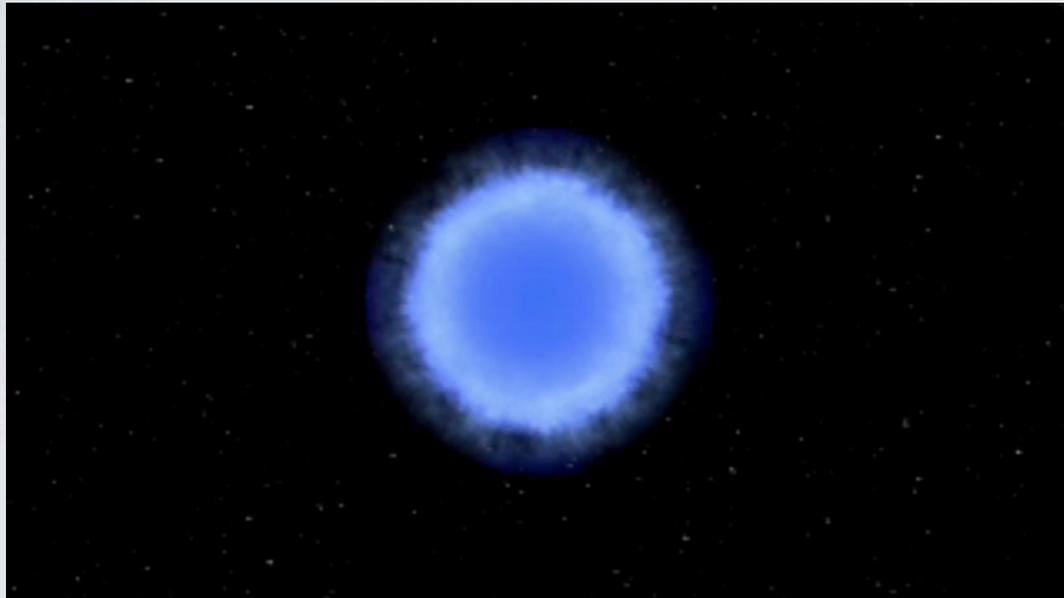
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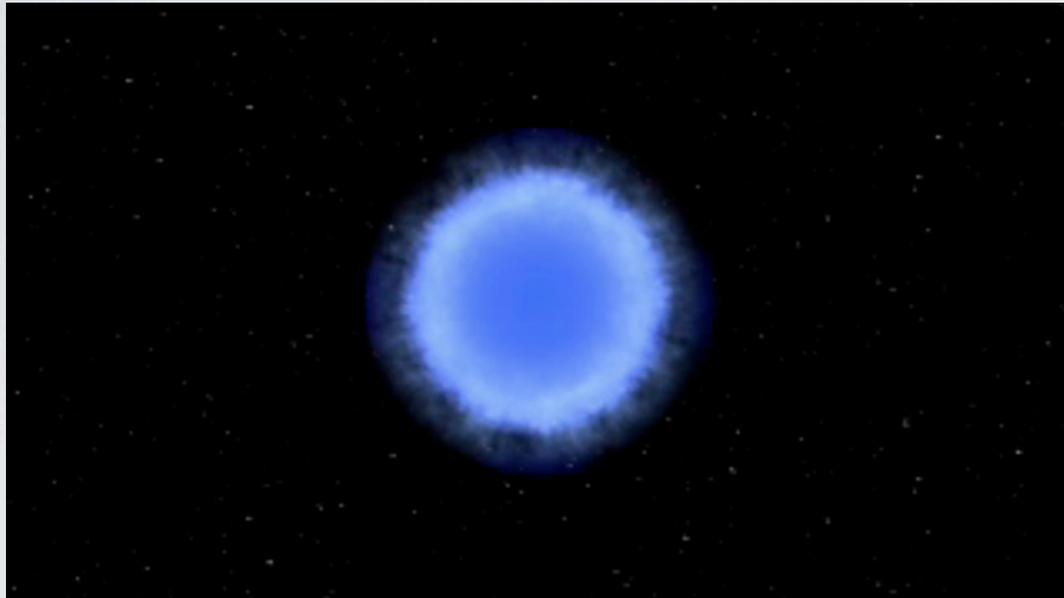


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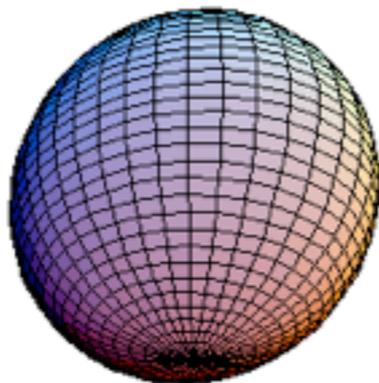
First recognized in 1985

- Spectra: No H-features, IME
25% He-features, 5-10% BL
 - Light-curves: bell-shaped (e.g. Ia)
- core-collapse of *NAKED* massive stars

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Isolated Wolf-Rayet Star

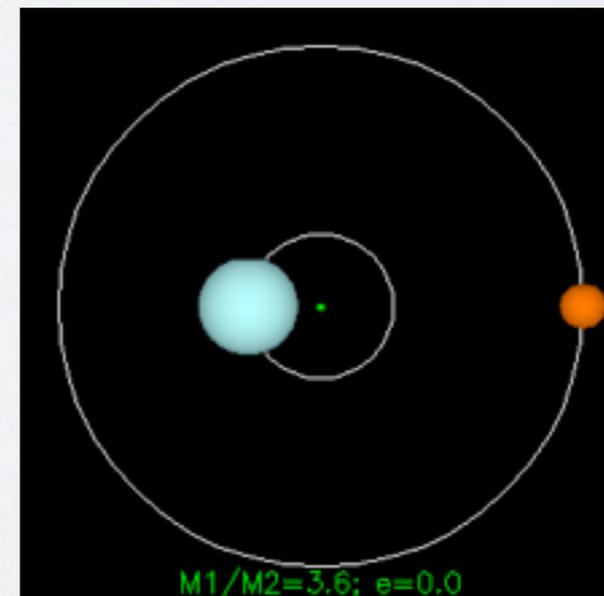
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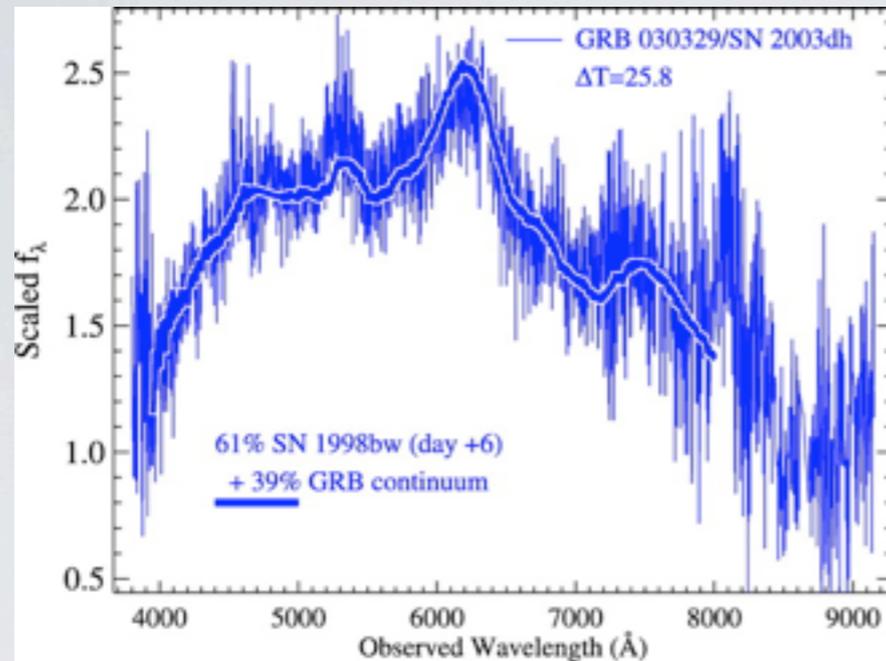
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$M > 8 M_{\odot}$



$M_1/M_2=3.6; e=0.0$

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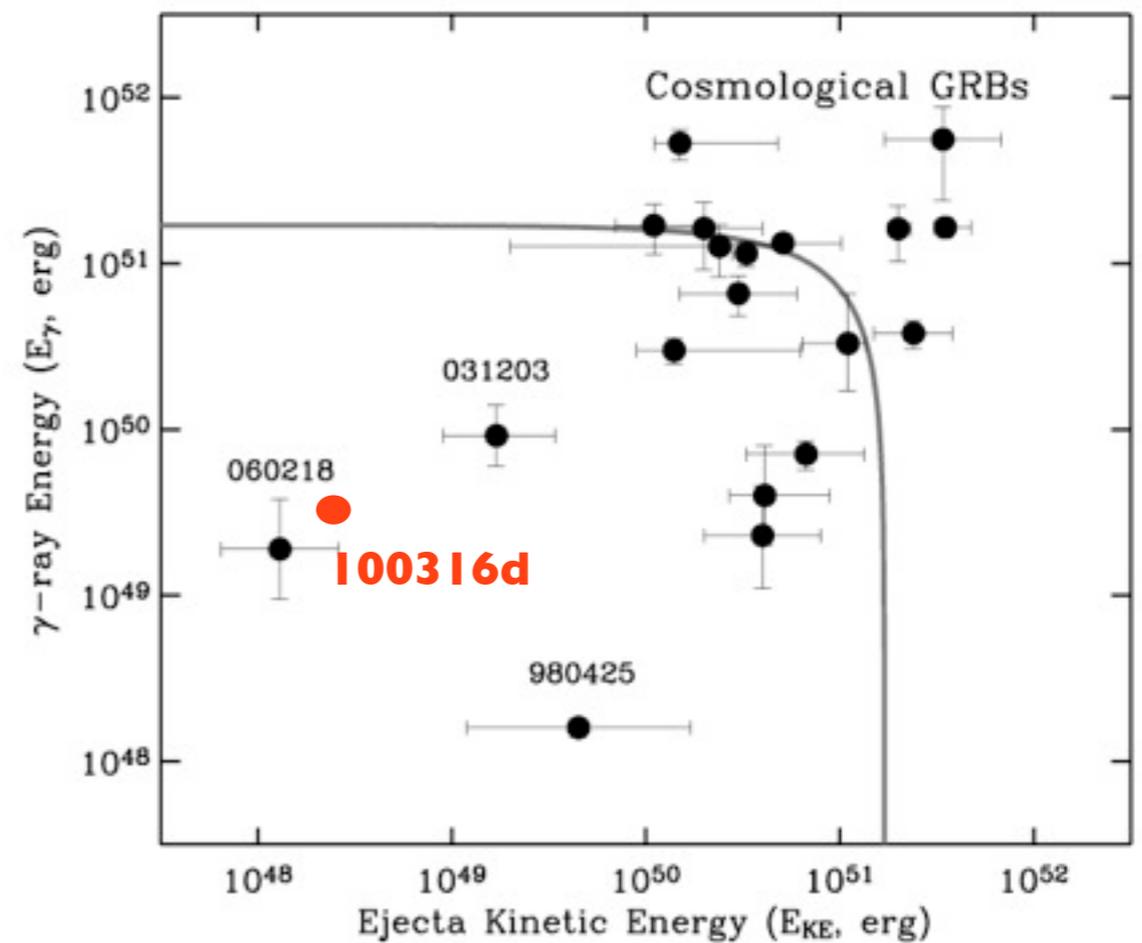


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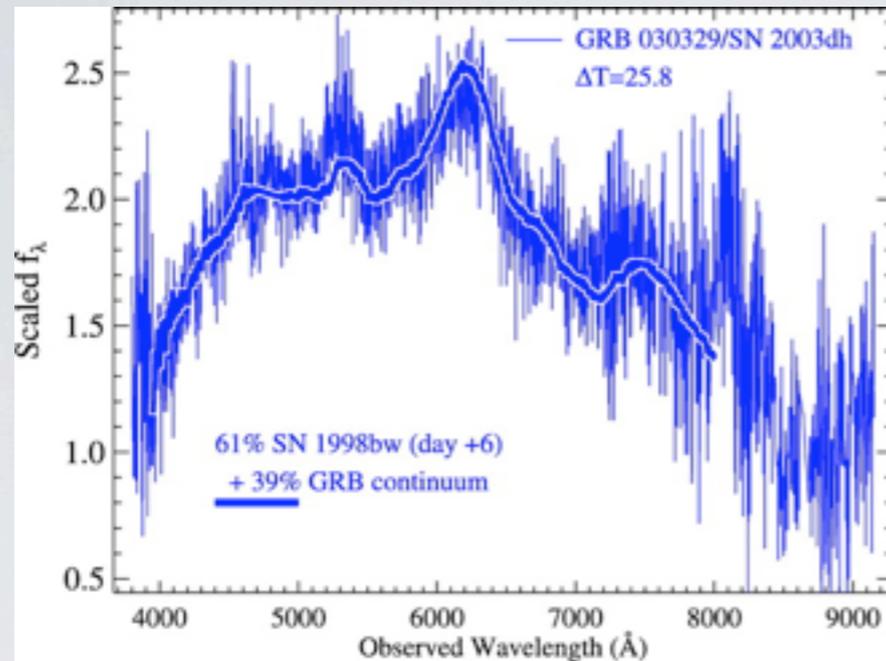


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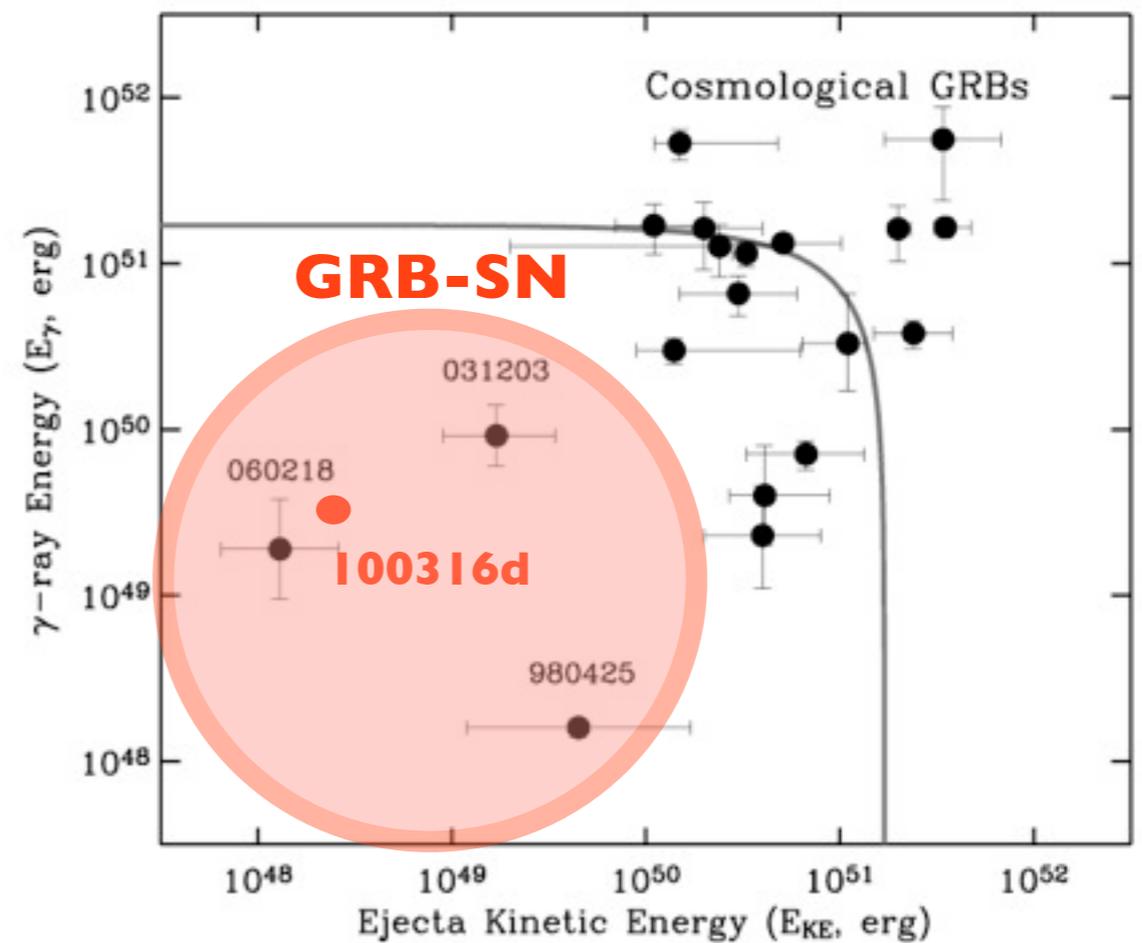


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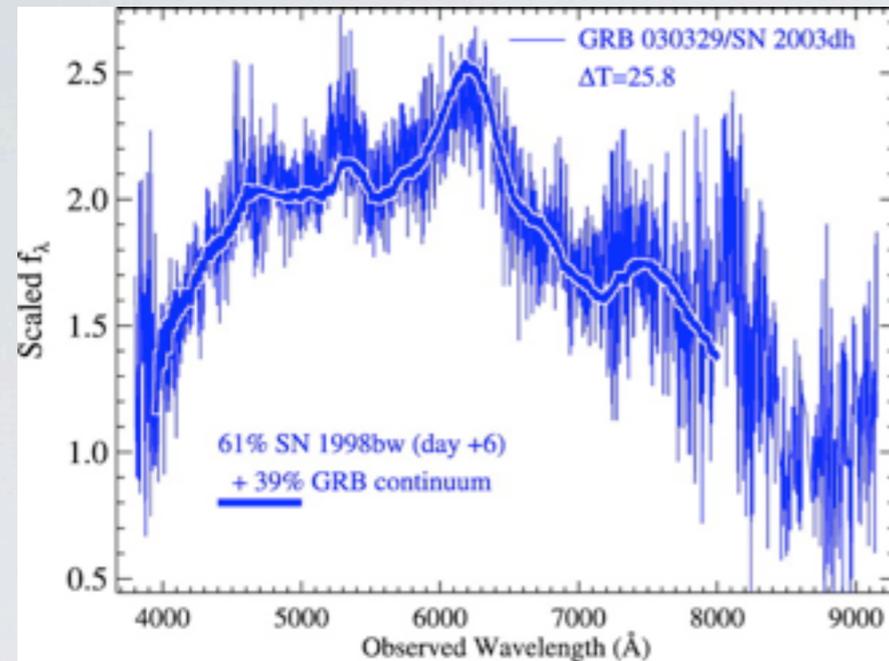


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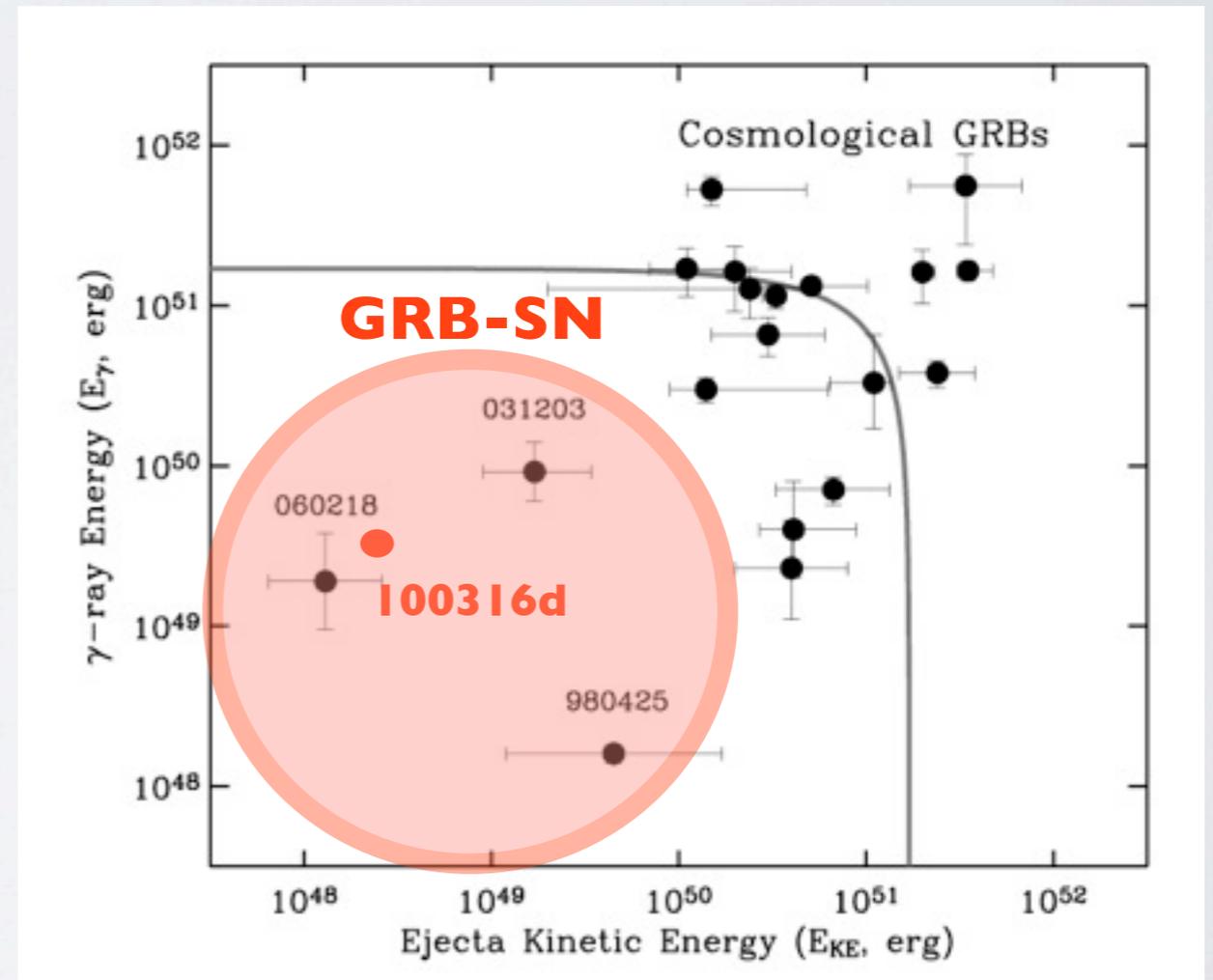
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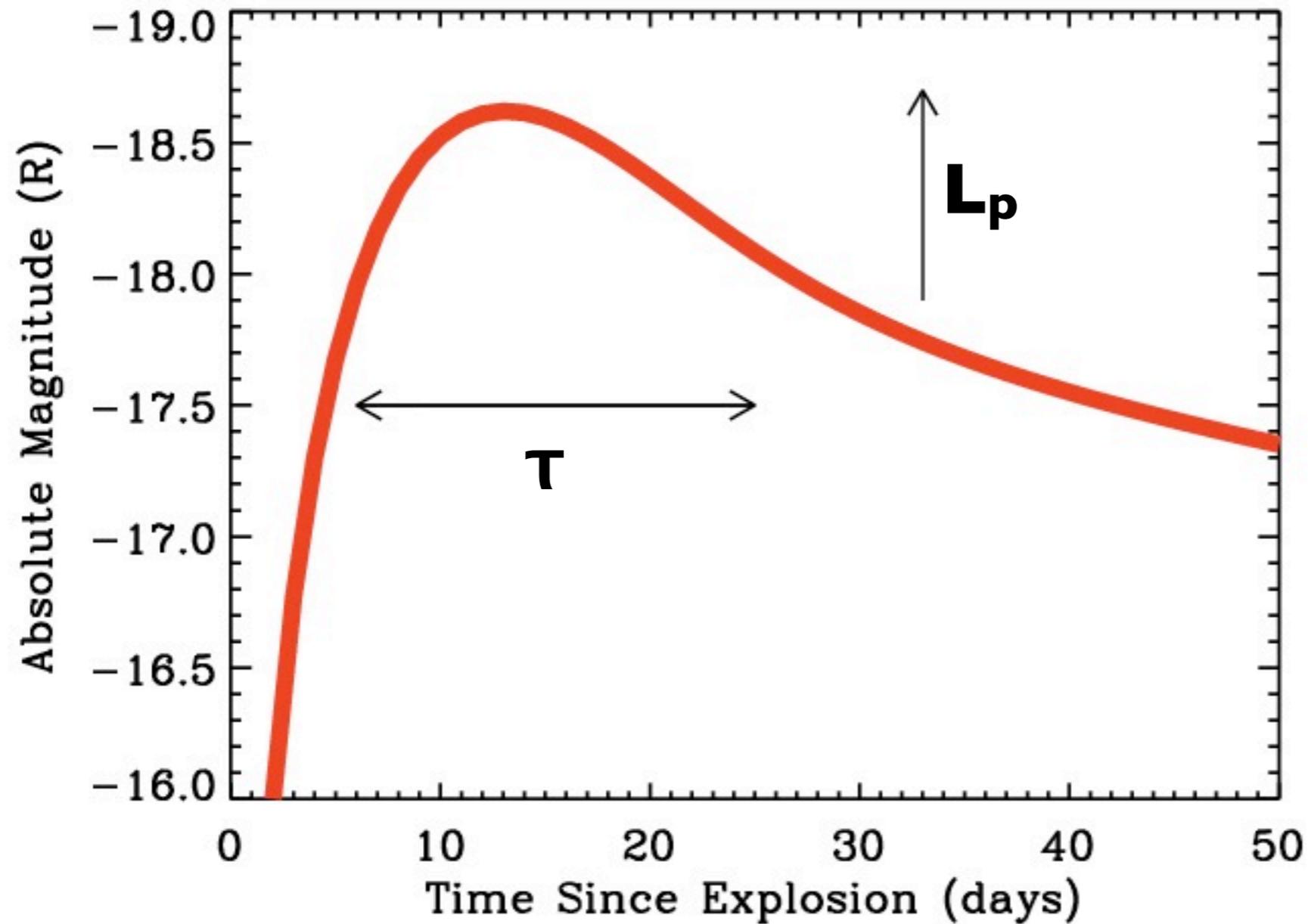
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1% of SNe Ibc harbor an additional key ingredient

Optical Light-Curve SN Ibc Diagnostics



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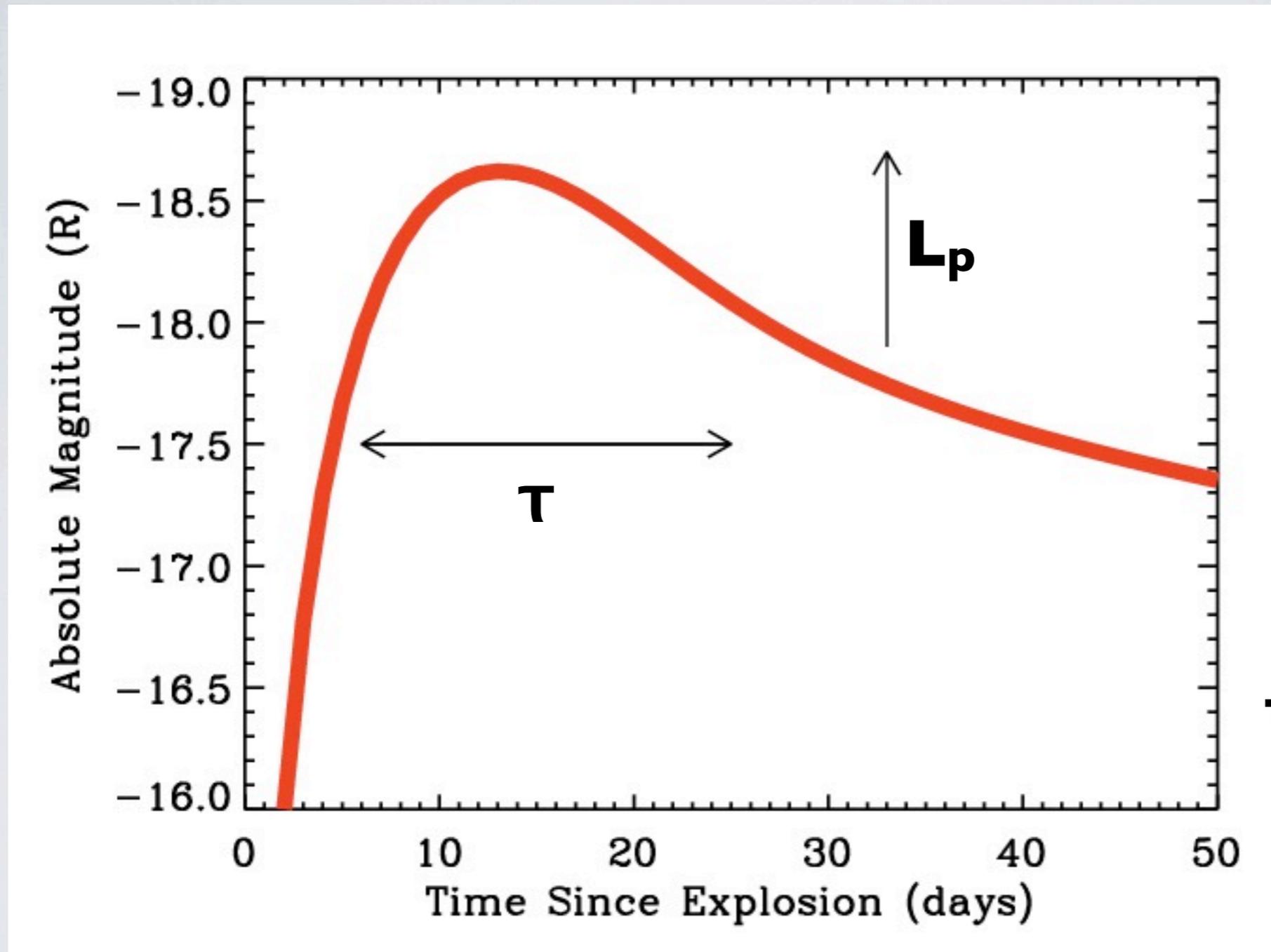
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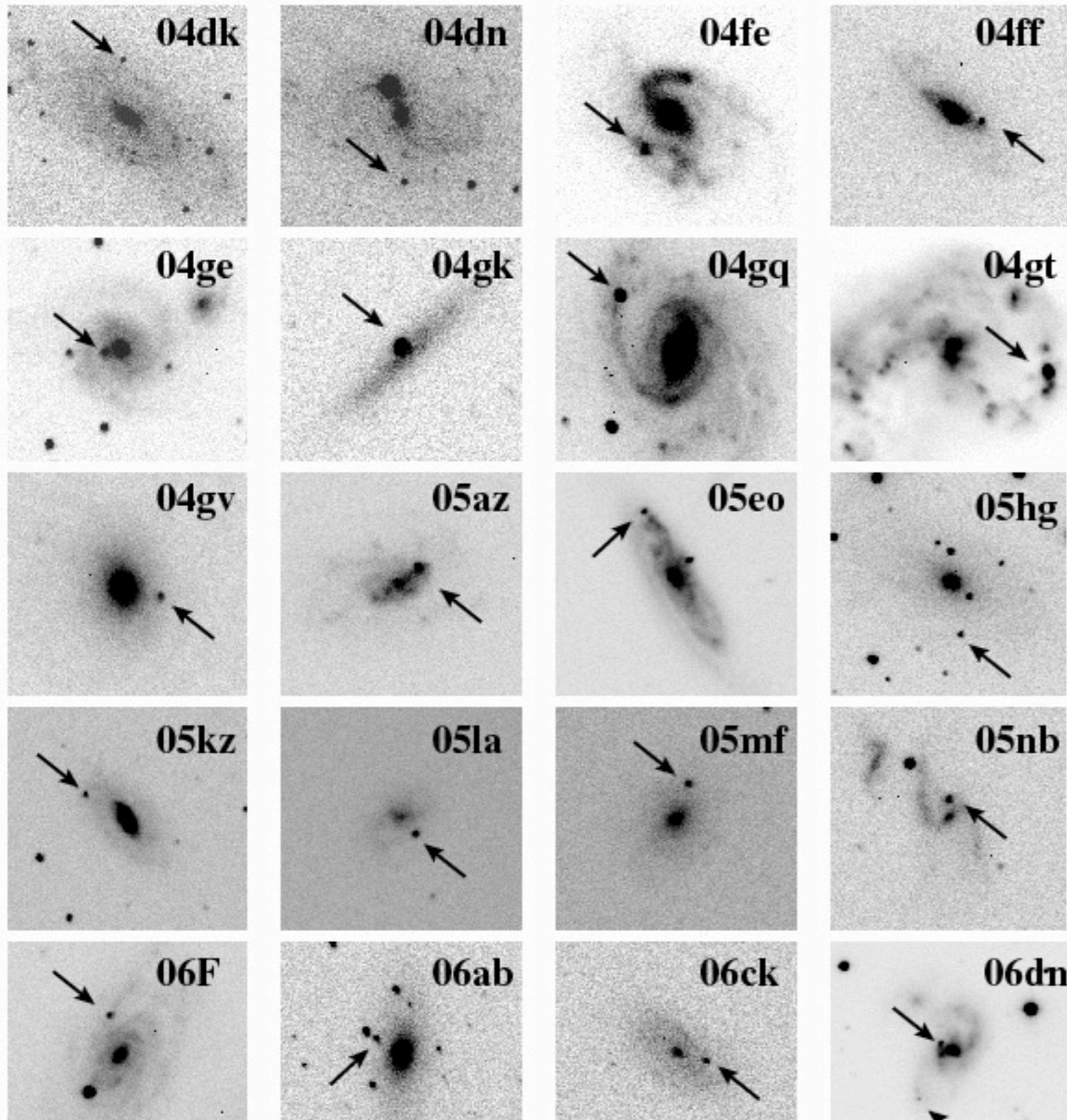
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Parameters determined for just 10 SNe Ibc to date, 3 Engine-driven SNe

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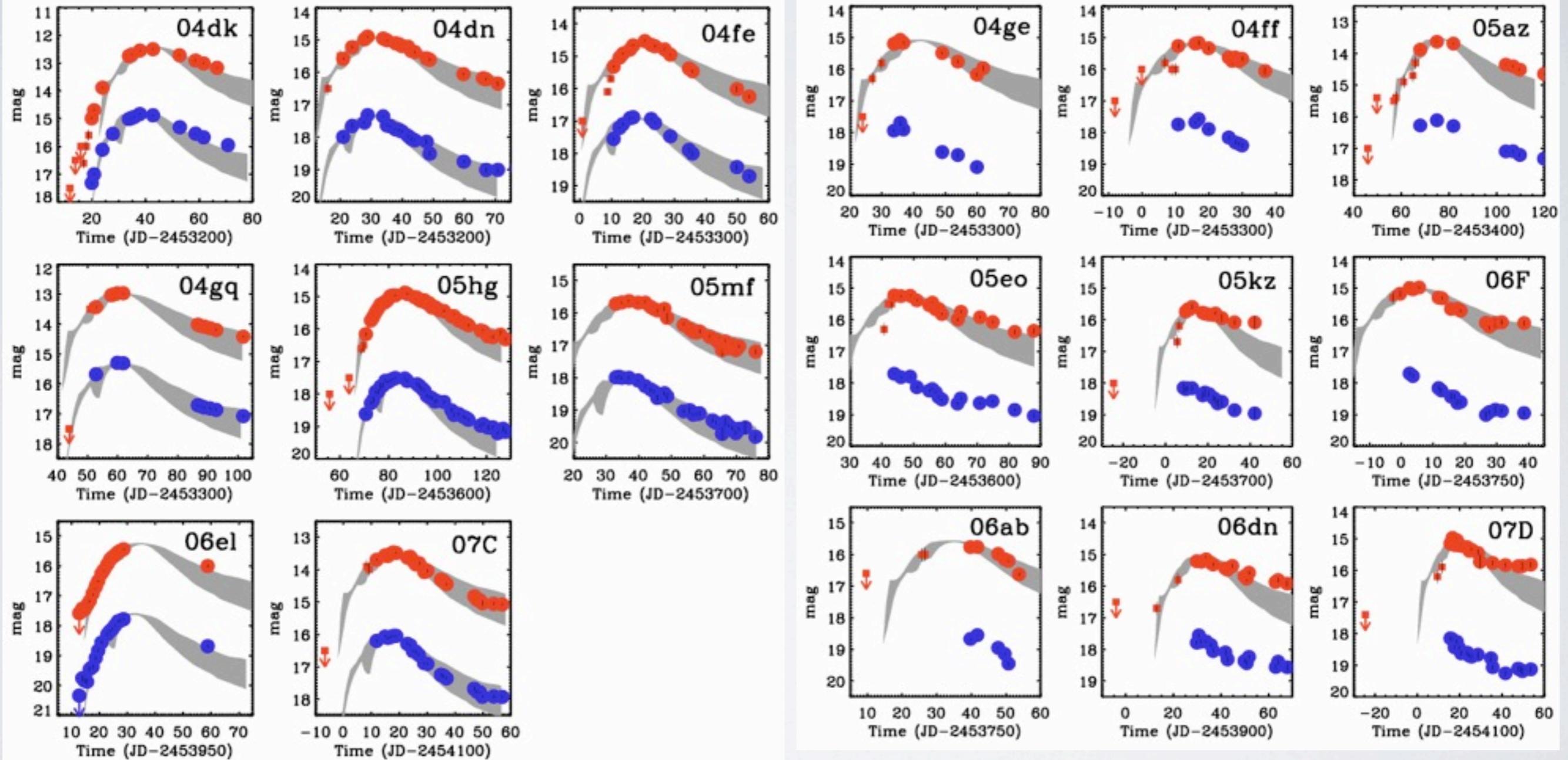


25 SNe Ibc
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V- and R-band photometry

(Drout, AMS et al 2010)



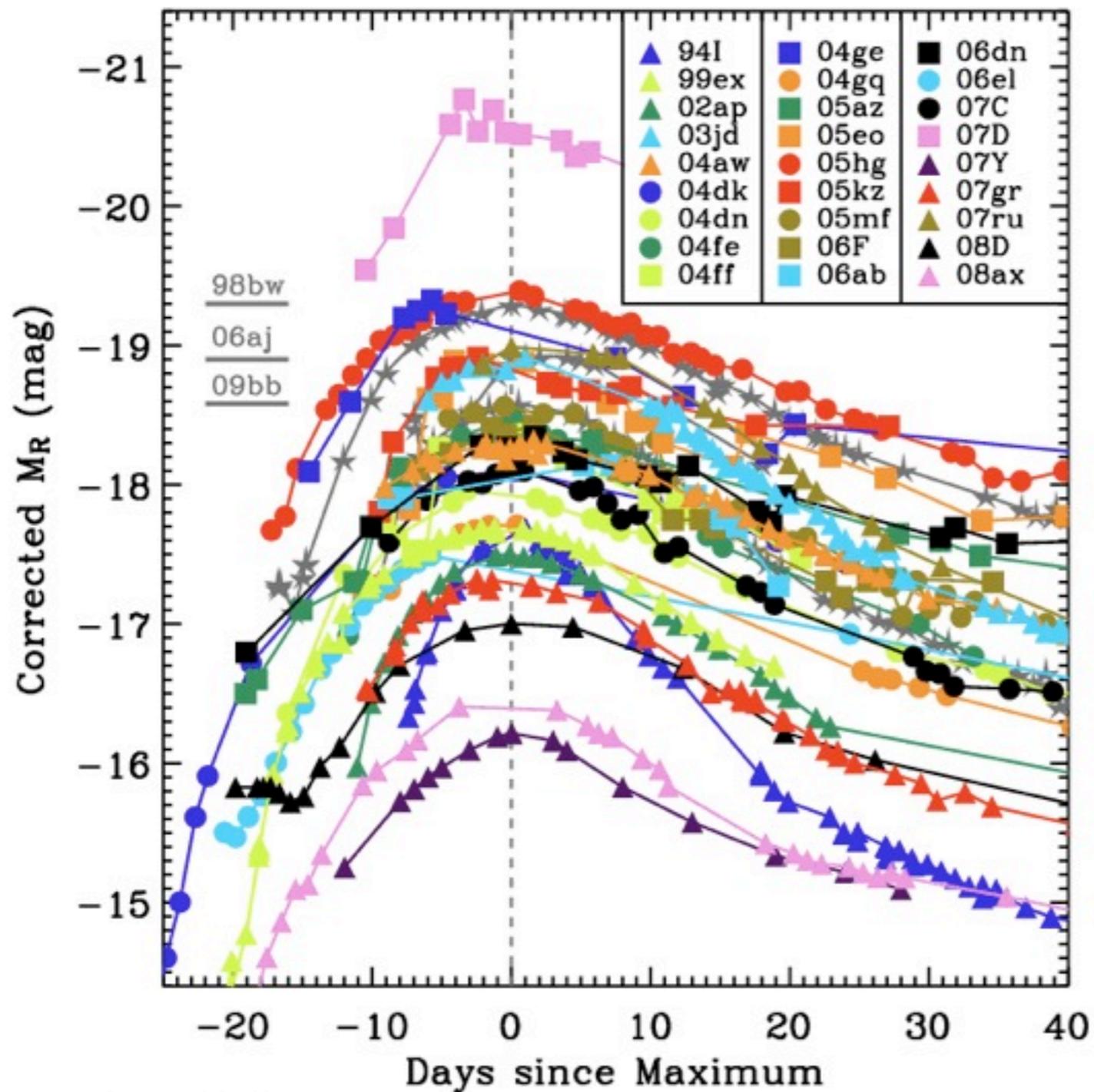
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L_p , τ measured for 17 SNe Ibc

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$M_p = -16$ to -20.5 mag

$\tau = 7$ to 18 days

Engine SNe similar to
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Highly extinguished
 $E(B-V) \sim 0.3$ mag

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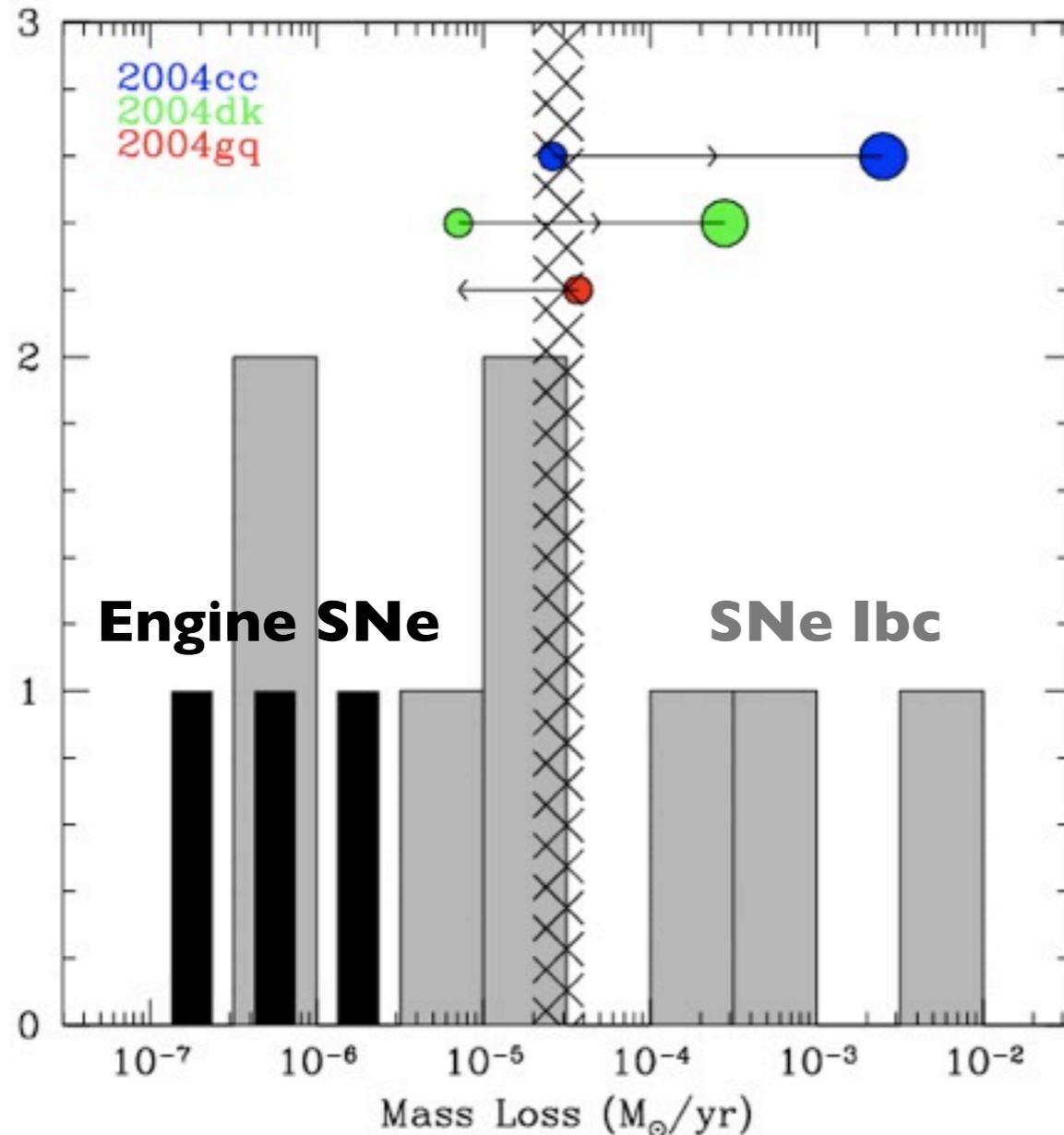
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Statistical Tests:

- **No** statistical difference between SNe Ib and Ic
- **2%** probability that SNe Ic-BL are drawn from Ibc progenitors
- **40%** probability that GRB-SNe drawn from SNe Ic-BL pop'n

Watch for Drout, AMS et al on arxiv for details!

III. Progenitor Mass loss rates



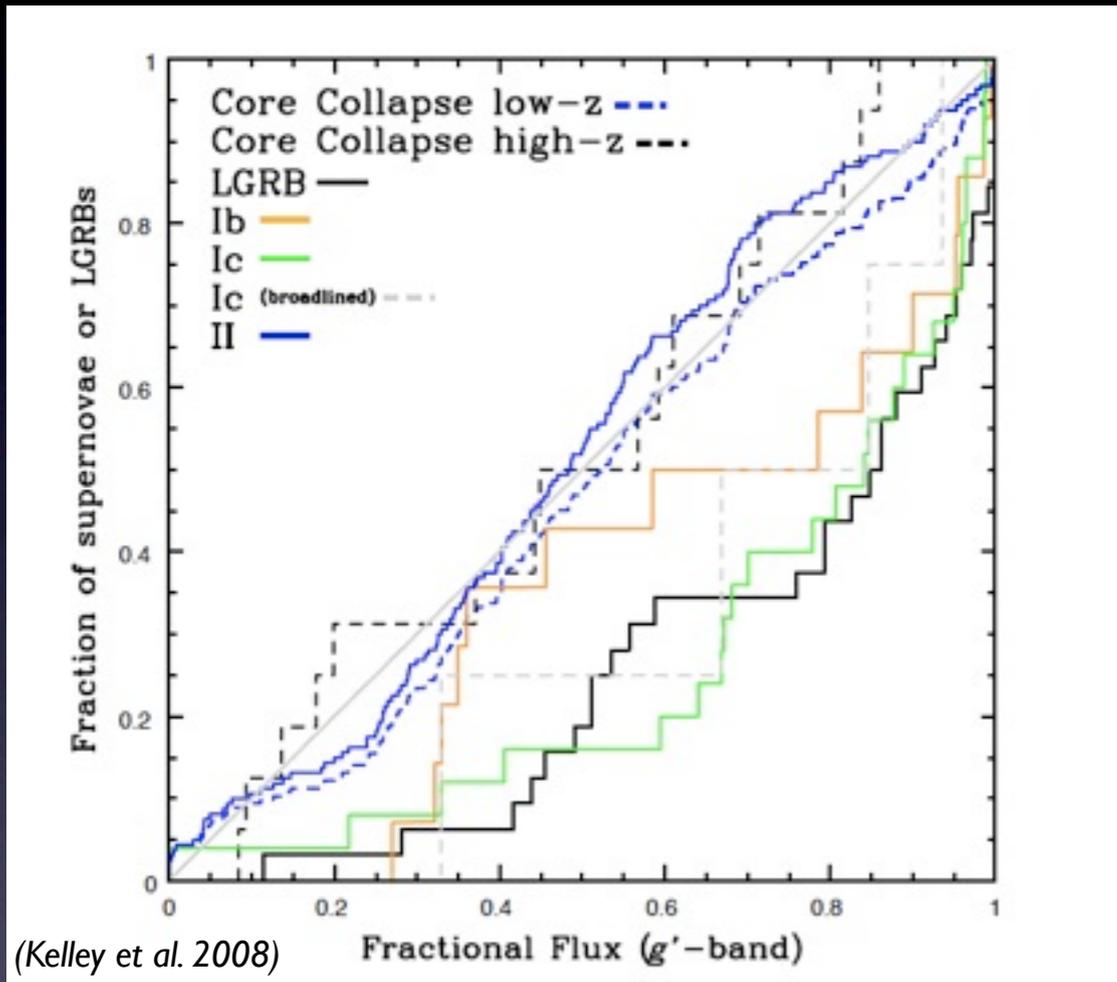
(Wellons, AMS in prep)

Density, Profile, “Bumps”

- SNe Ibc always show *stellar winds* (AMS 2007)
- *Half* of SNe Ibc show CSM “bumps” (AMS et al 2006)
- Broad range of mass loss rates
→ *consistent with line-driven winds?* (Wellons, AMS 2010)
- Engine-driven SNe: *lower density*

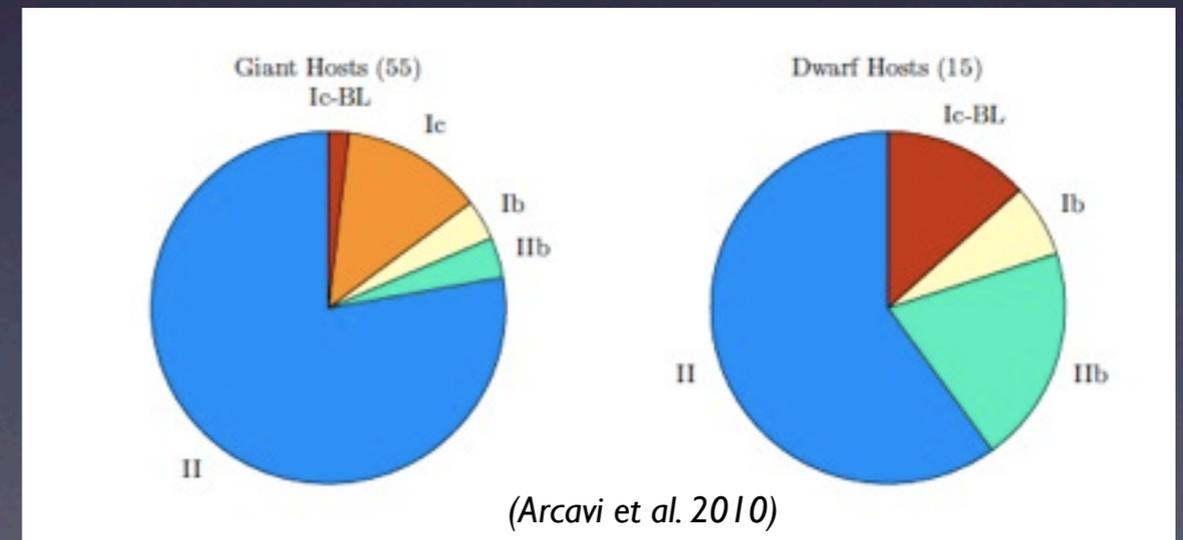
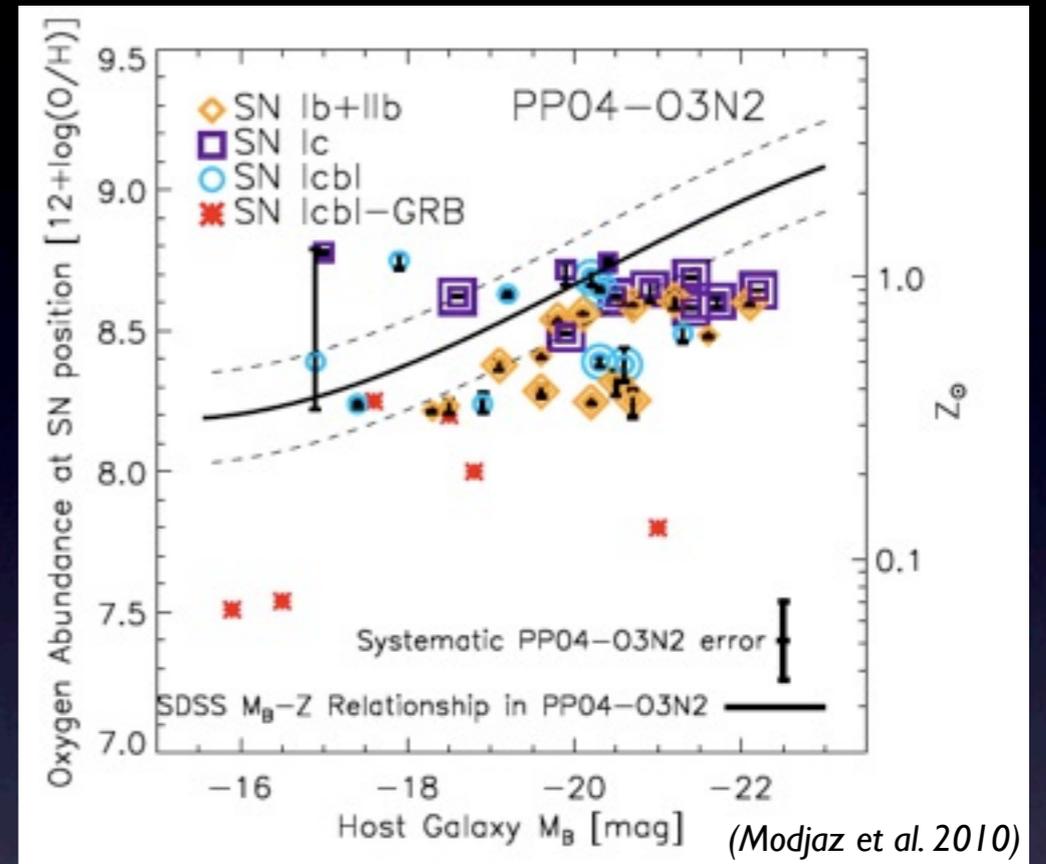
Might expect $M_{\text{dot}} \sim Z$

IV. Host Galaxy Diagnostics

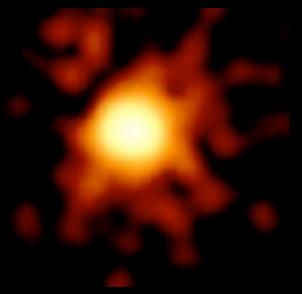


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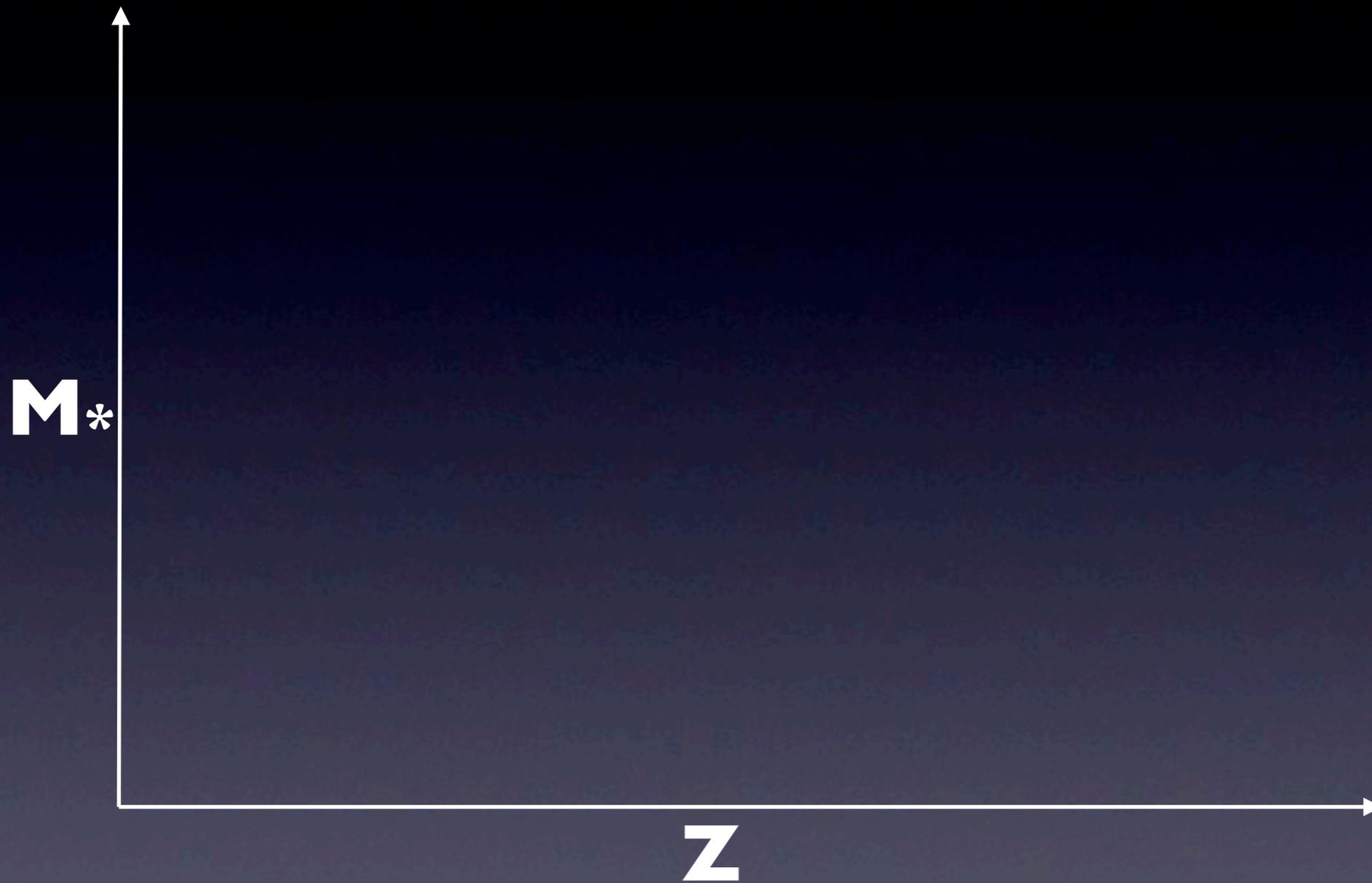
(see Emily Levesque's talk)

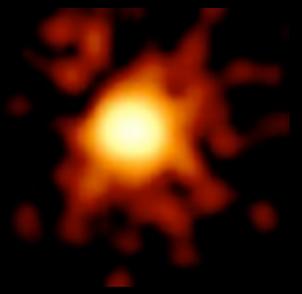


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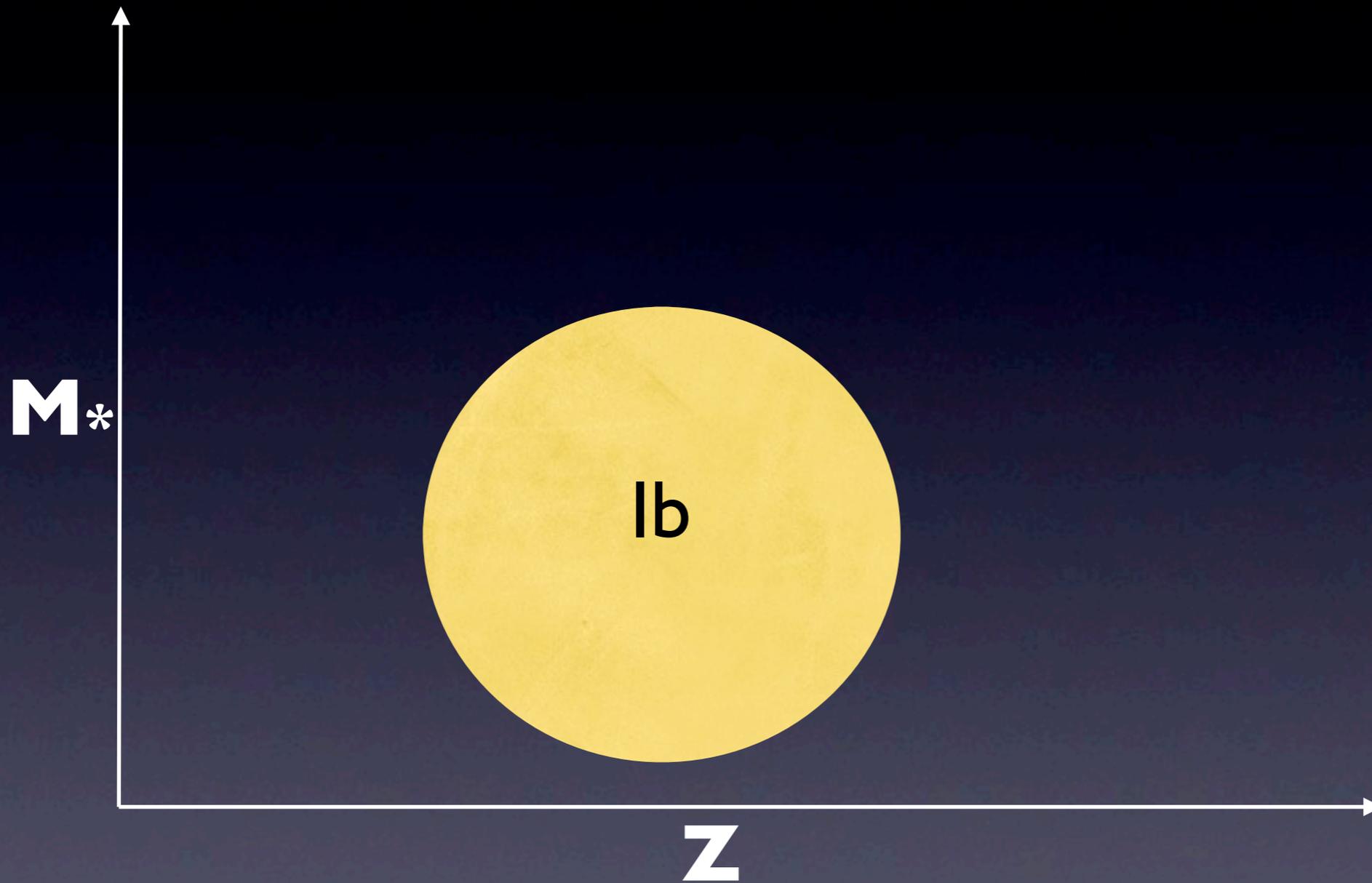


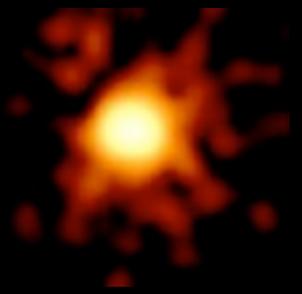
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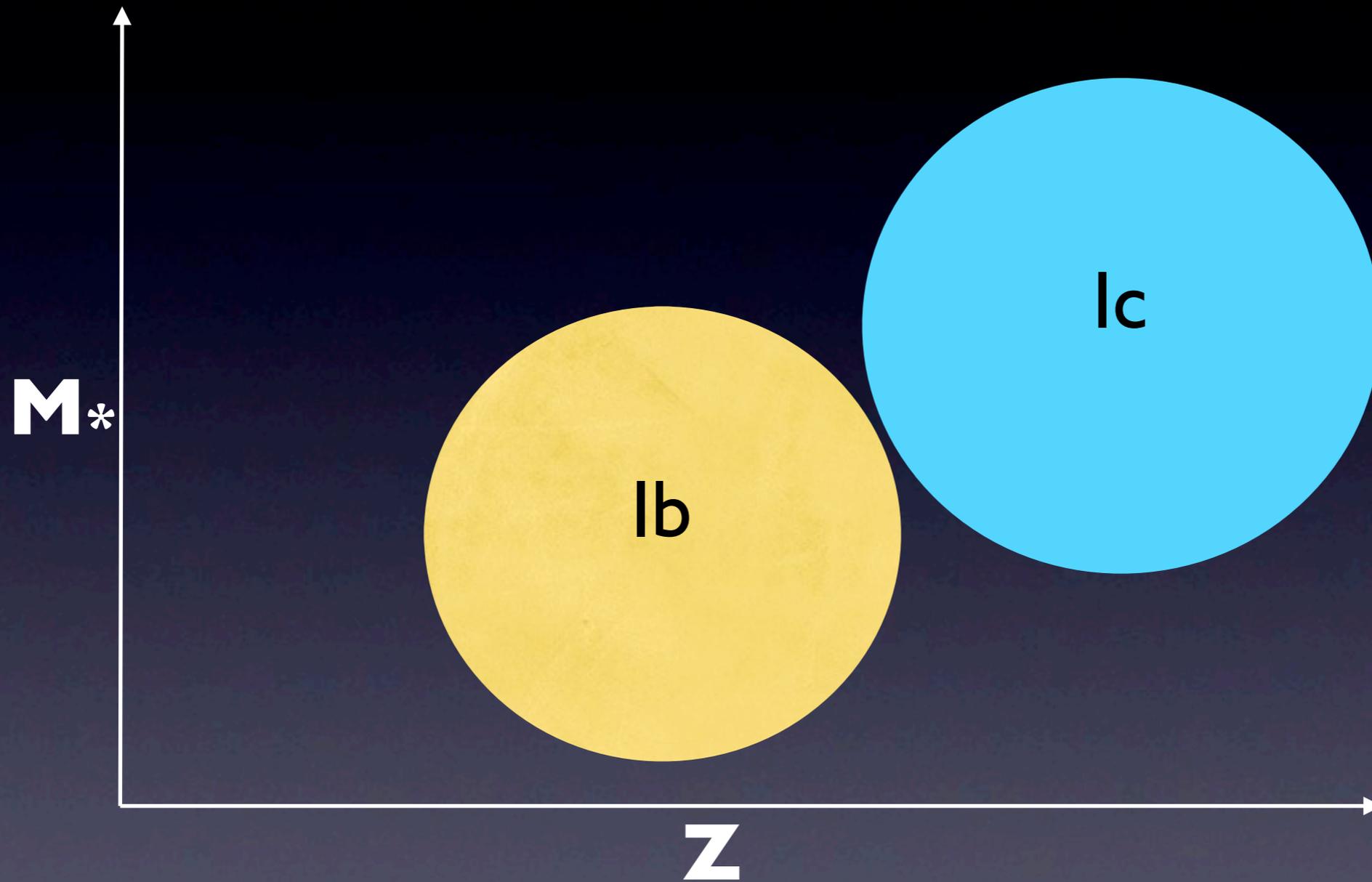


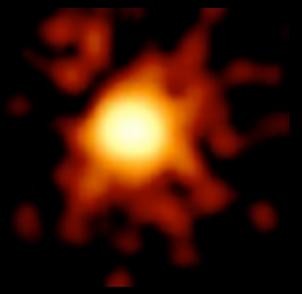
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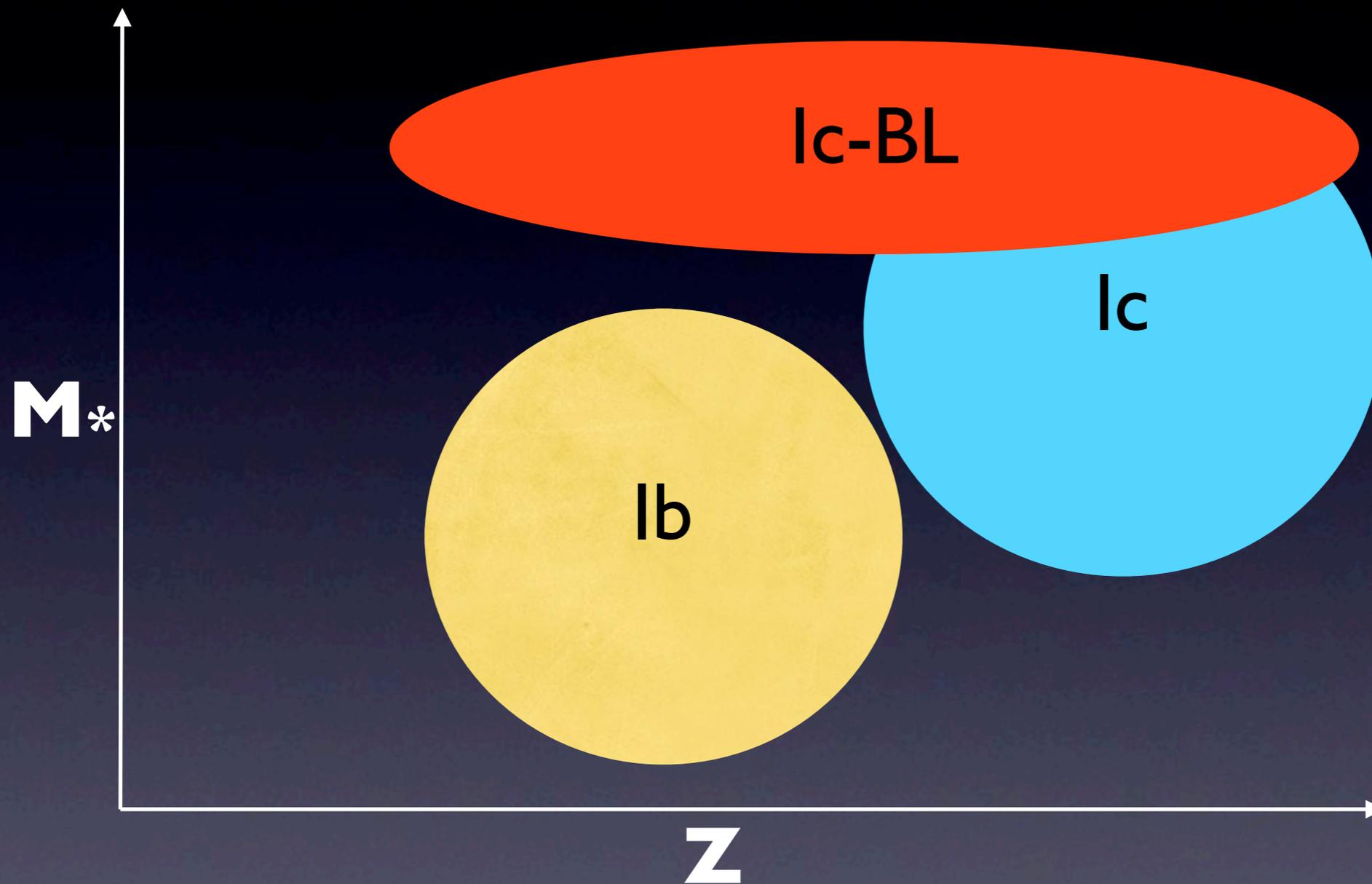


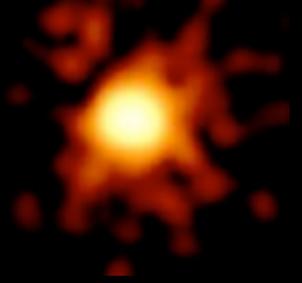
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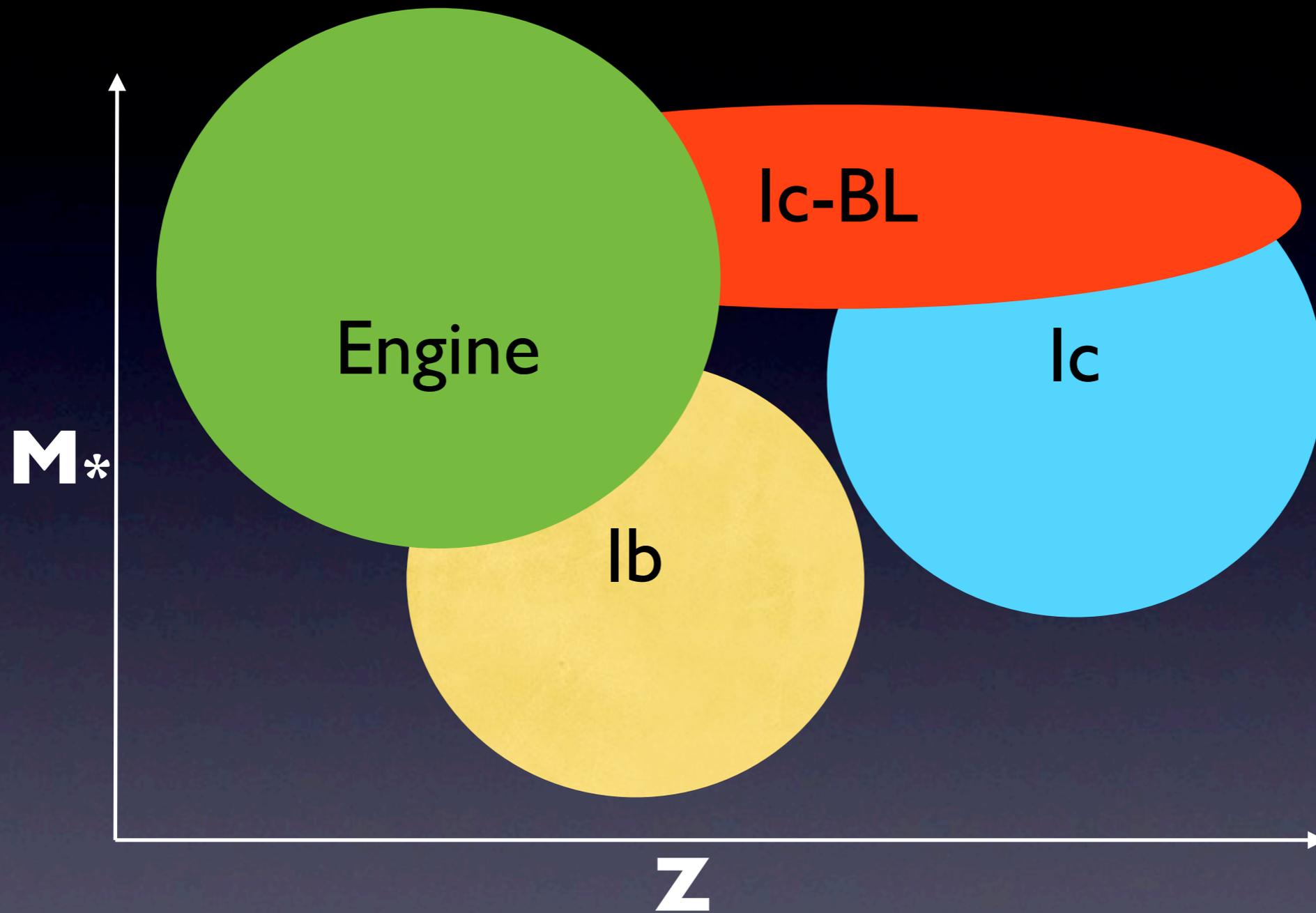


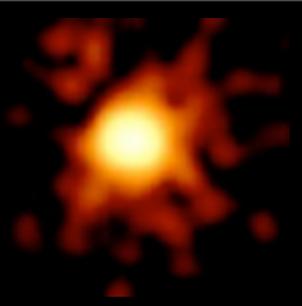
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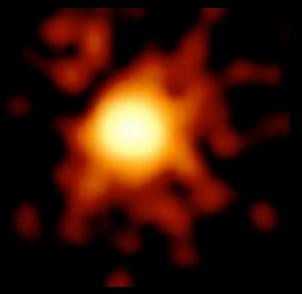
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Conclusions

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- GRB-SNe harbor central engines and they can be identified without a gamma-ray satellite
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- GRB-SNe show lower CSM densities than SNe Ibc
- GRB-SNe prefer low- Z galaxies while SNe Ic-BL do not



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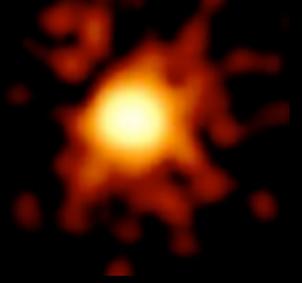
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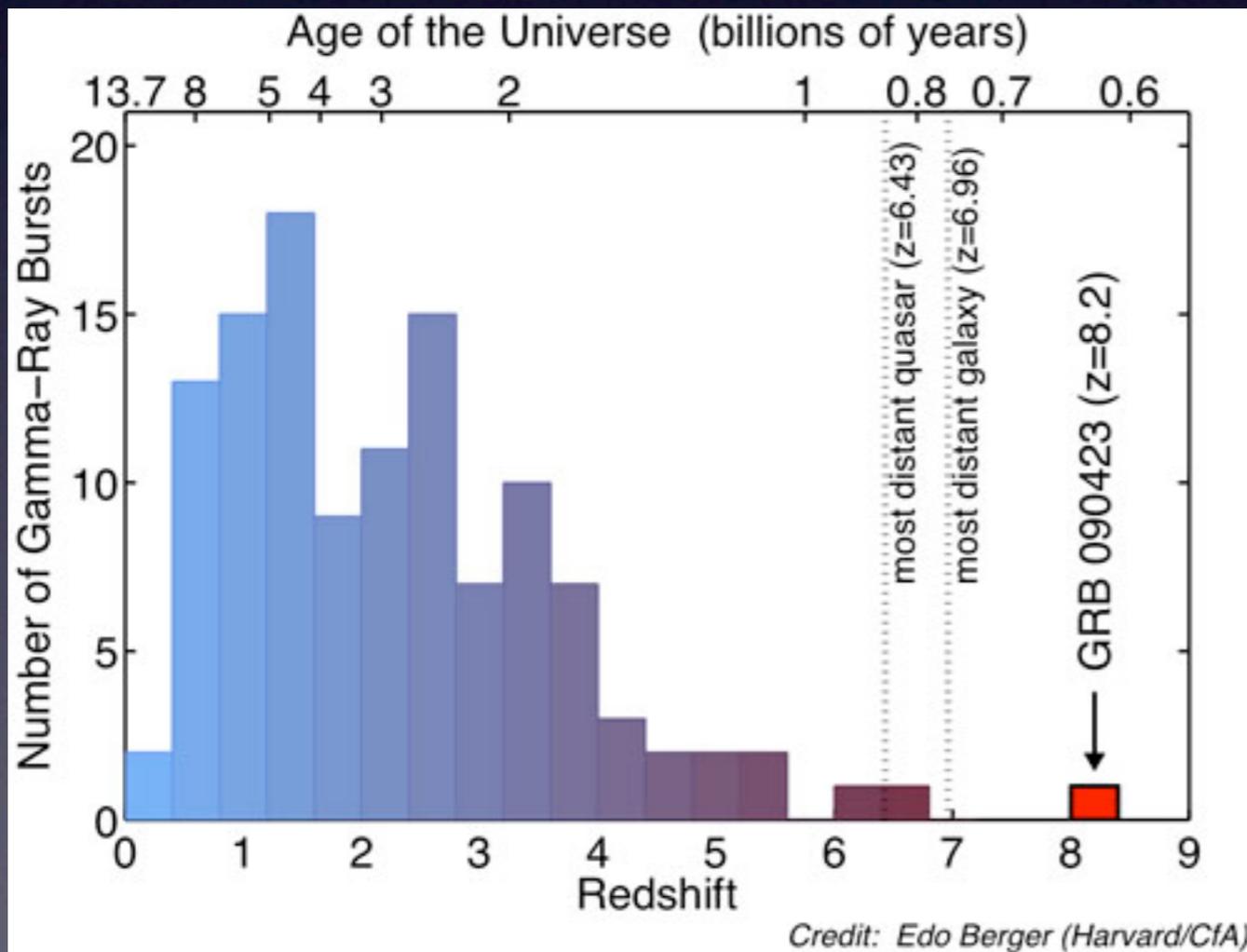
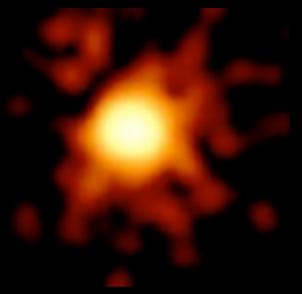
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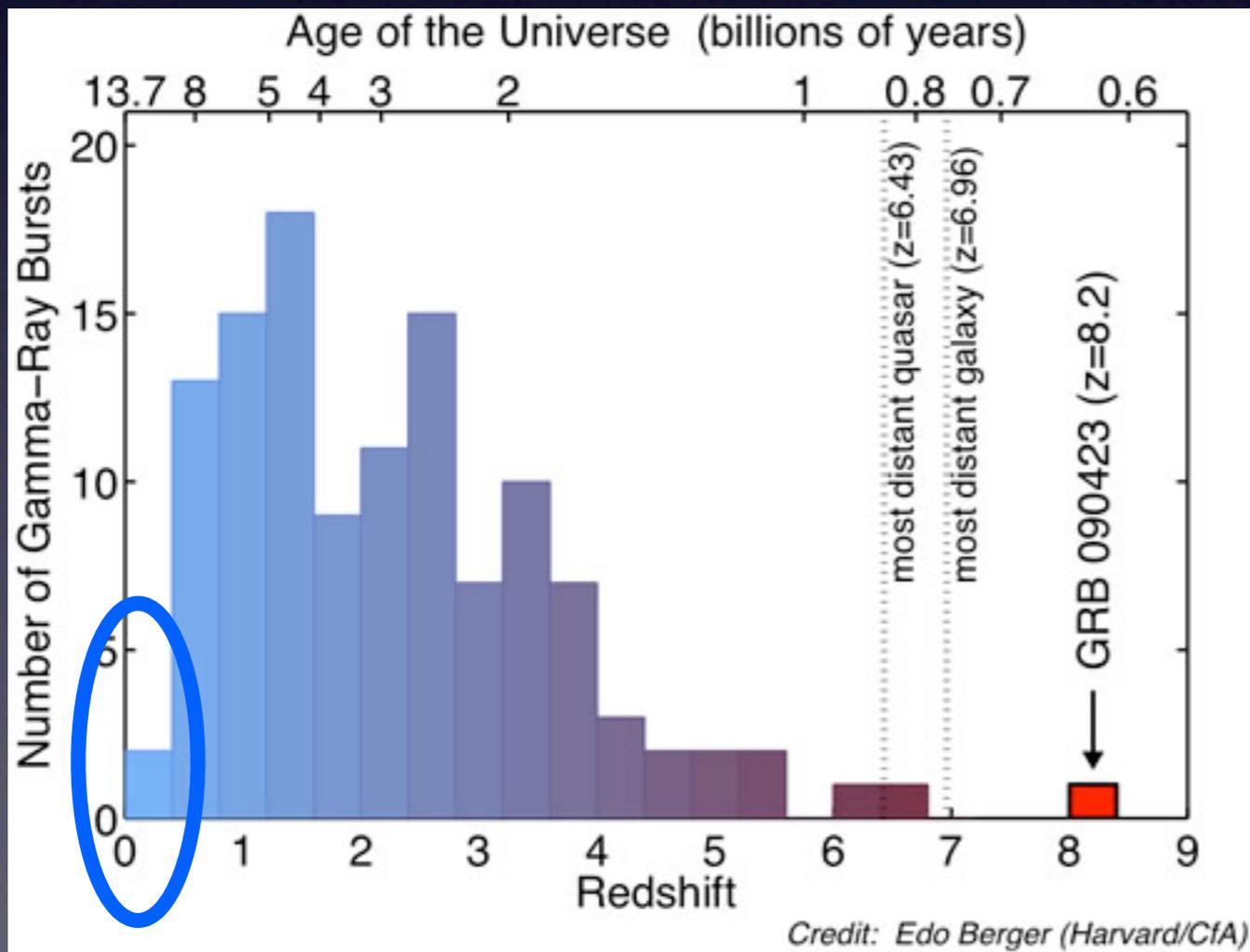
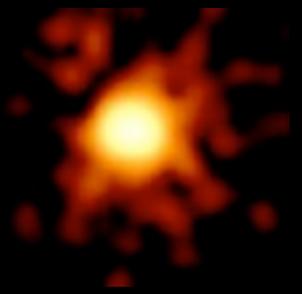
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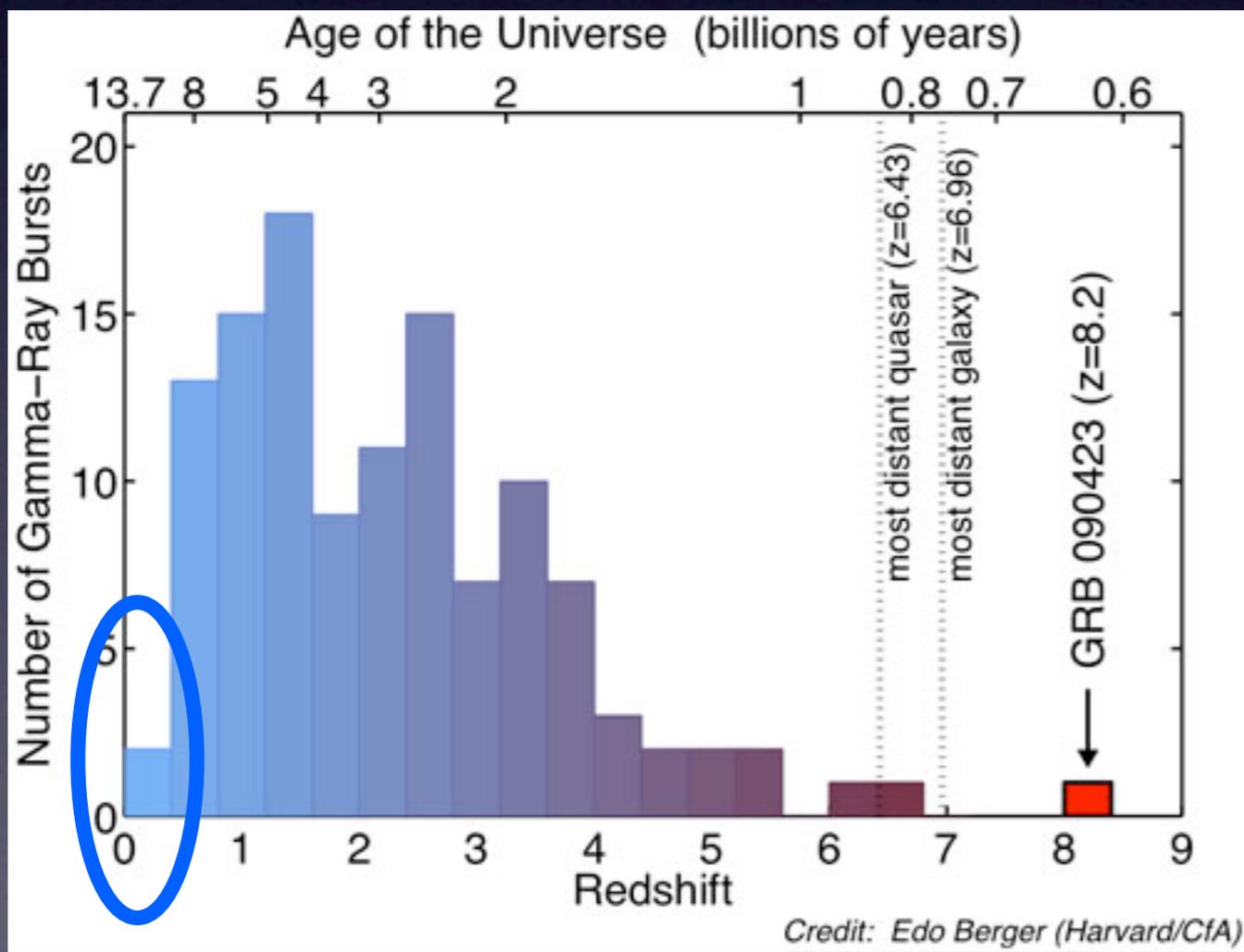
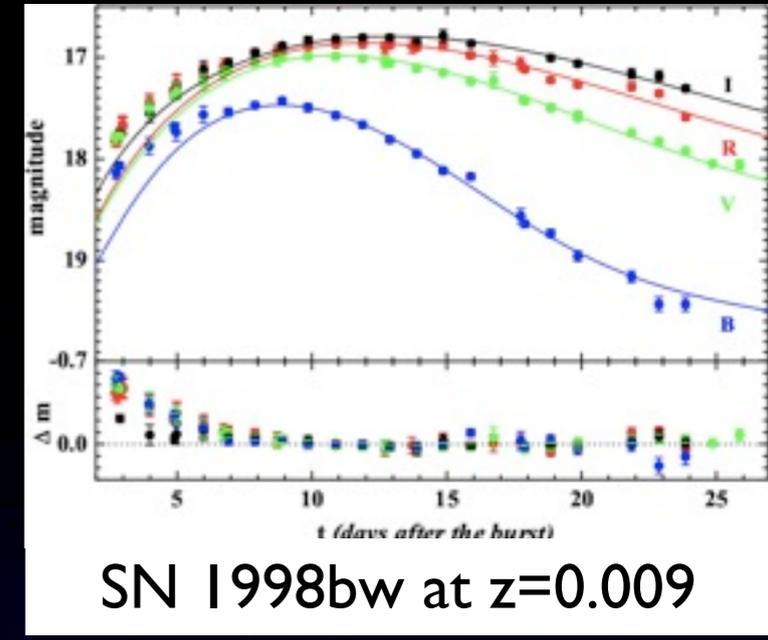
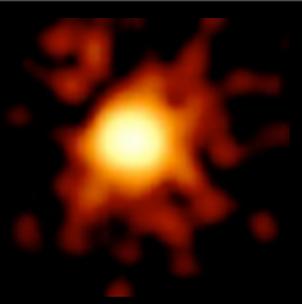
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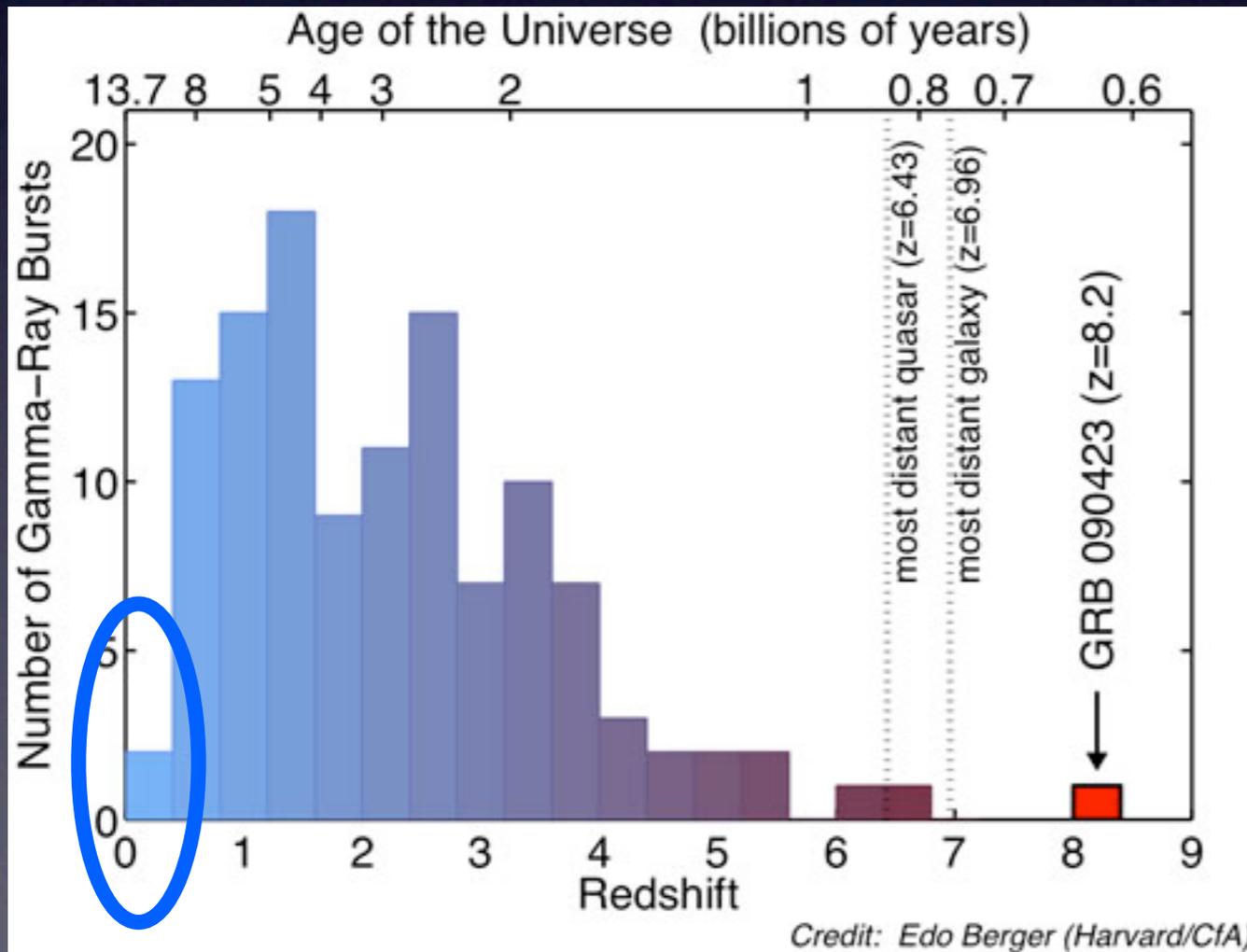
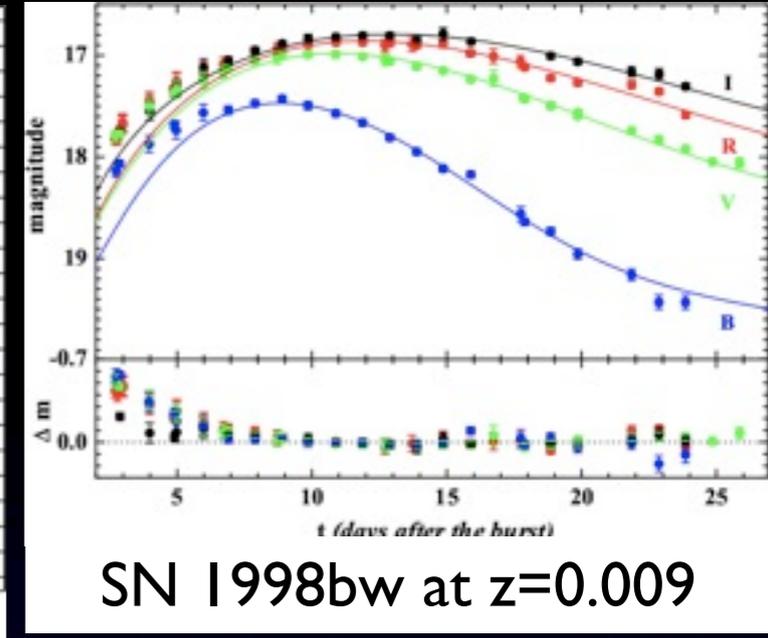
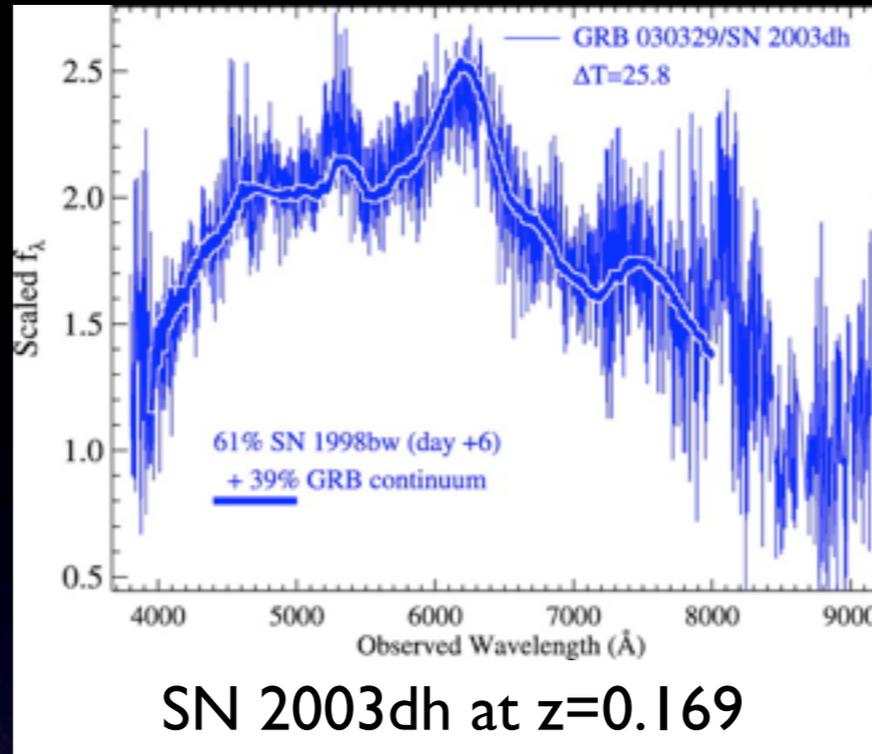
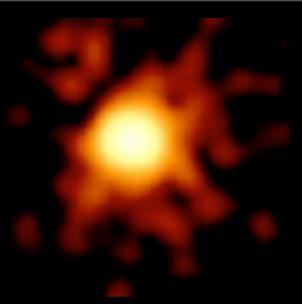


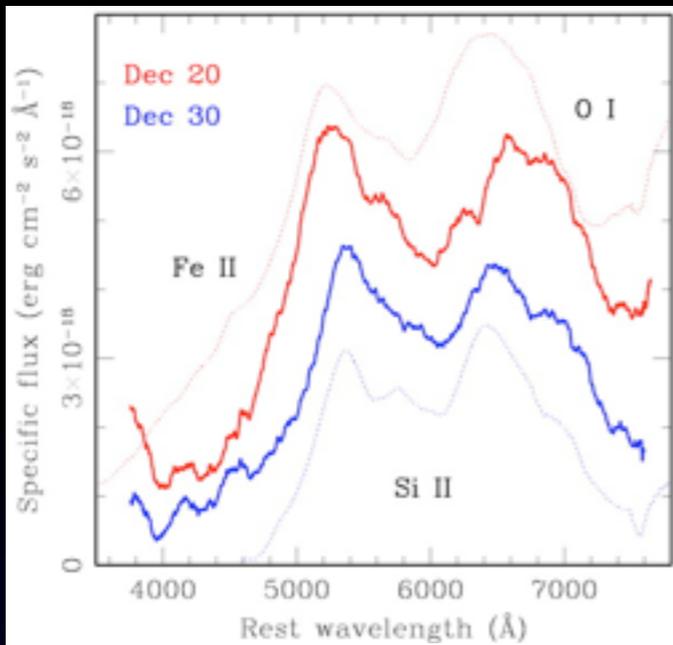
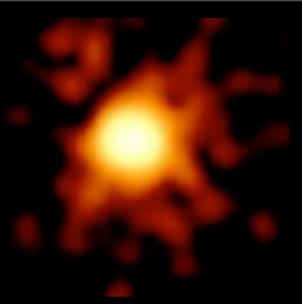


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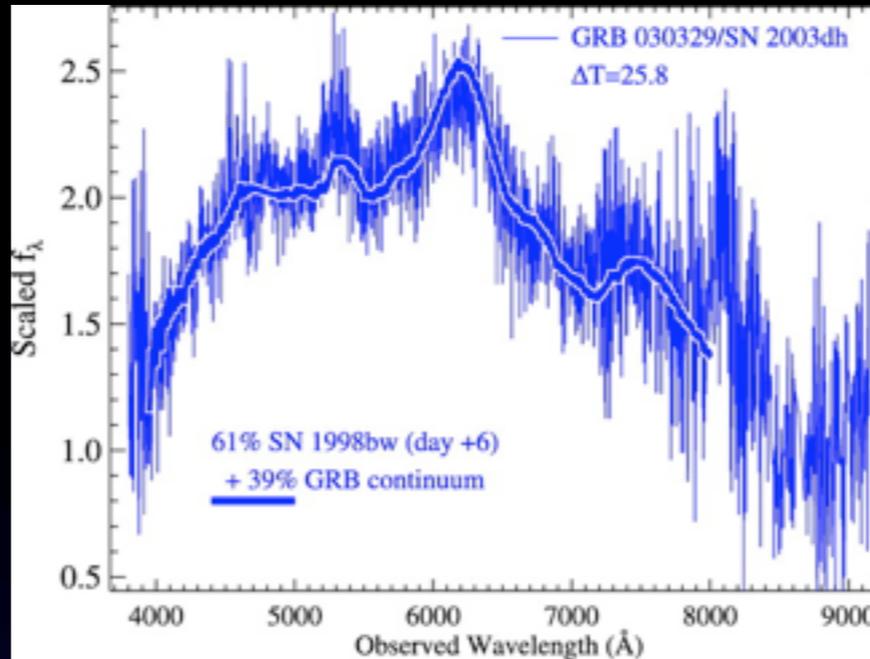
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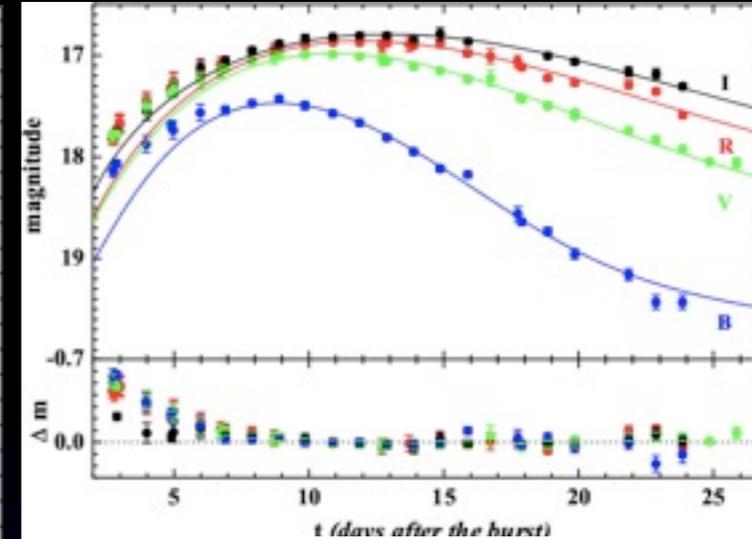




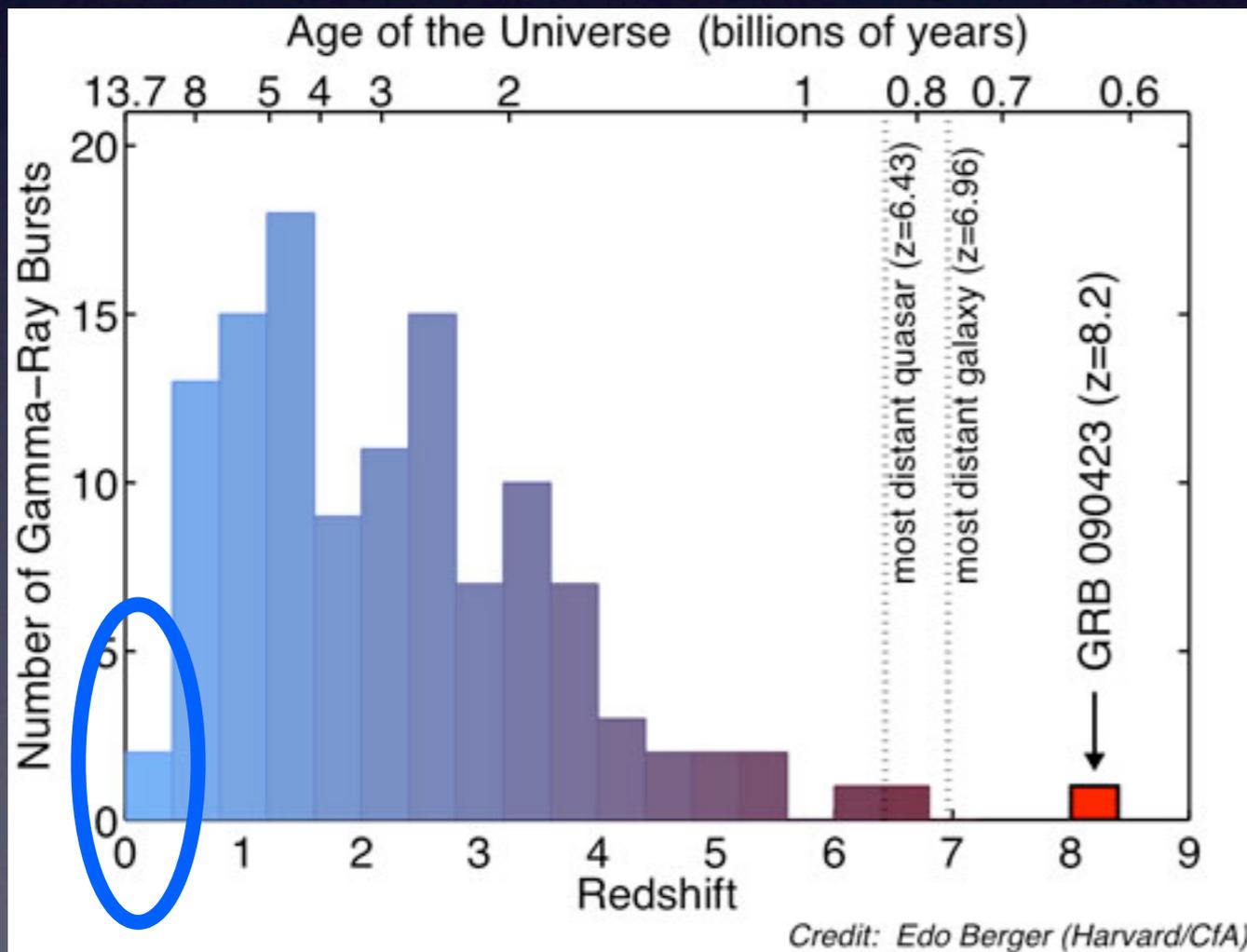
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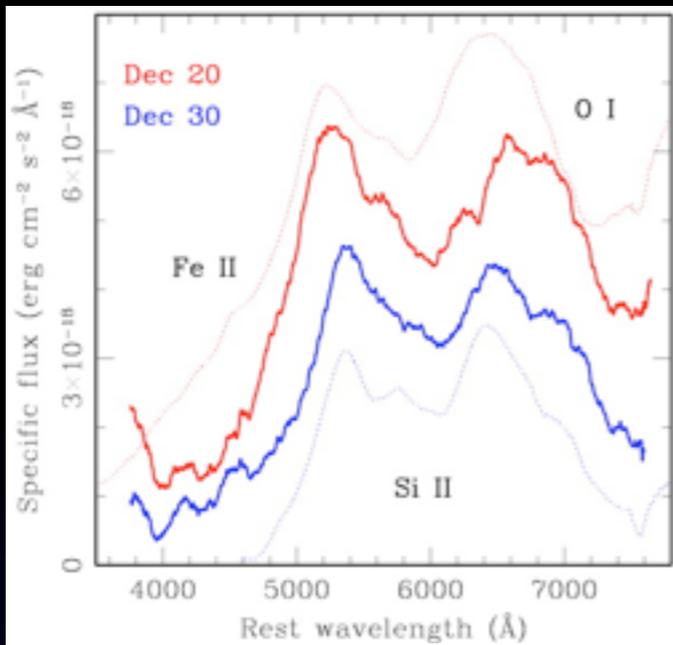
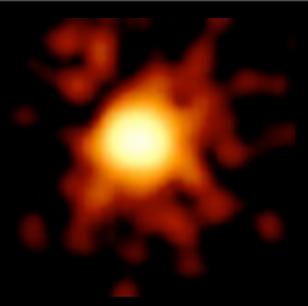
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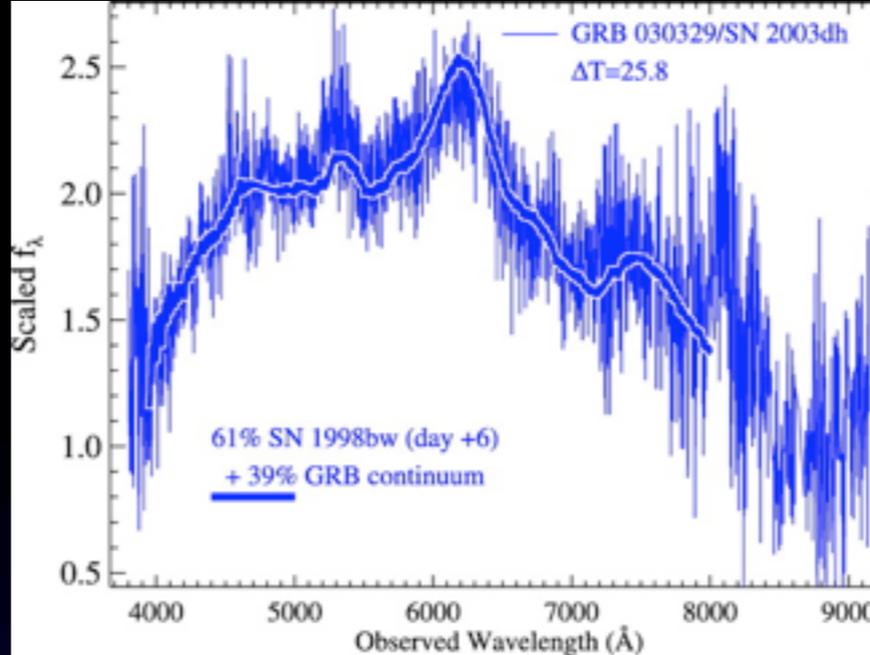
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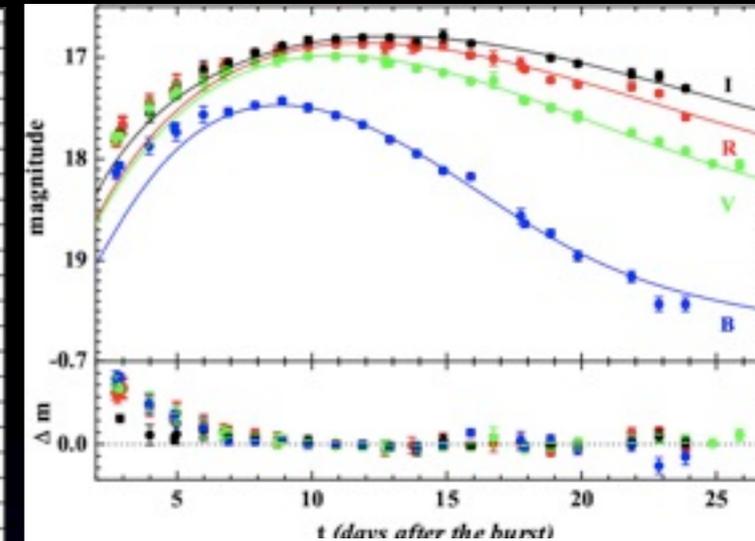
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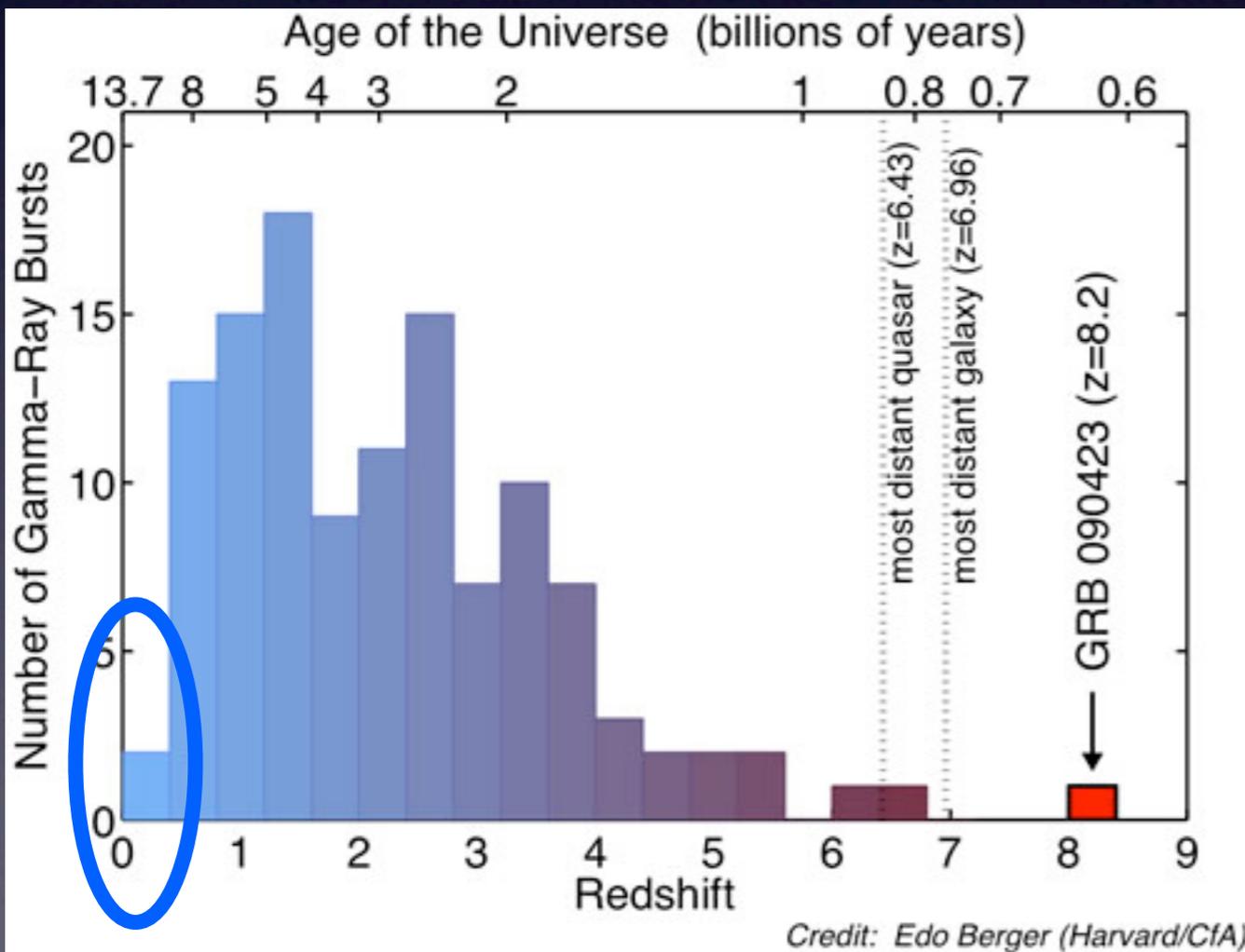
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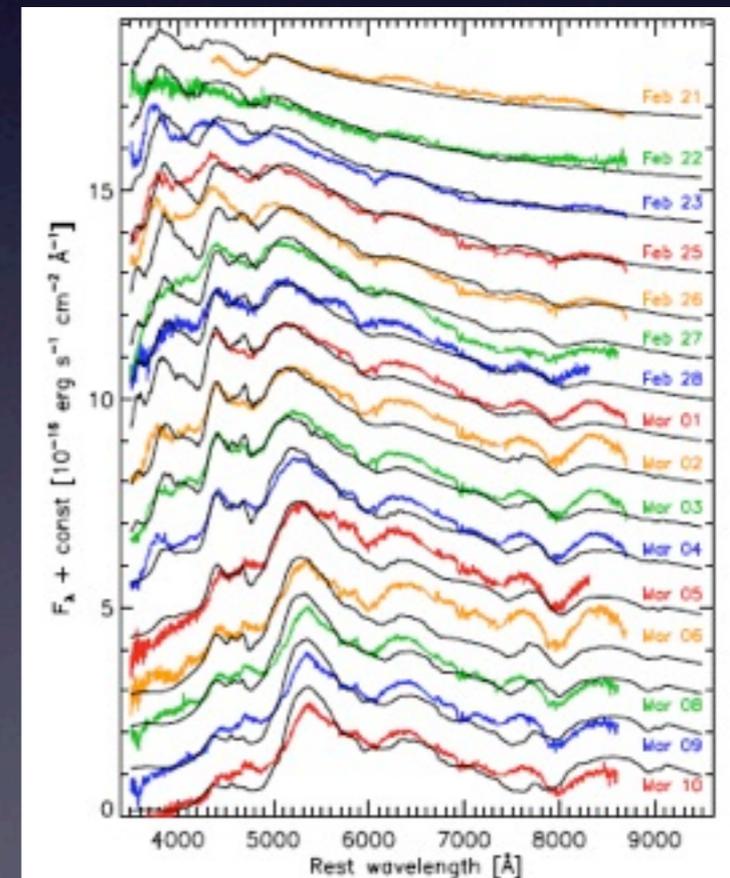
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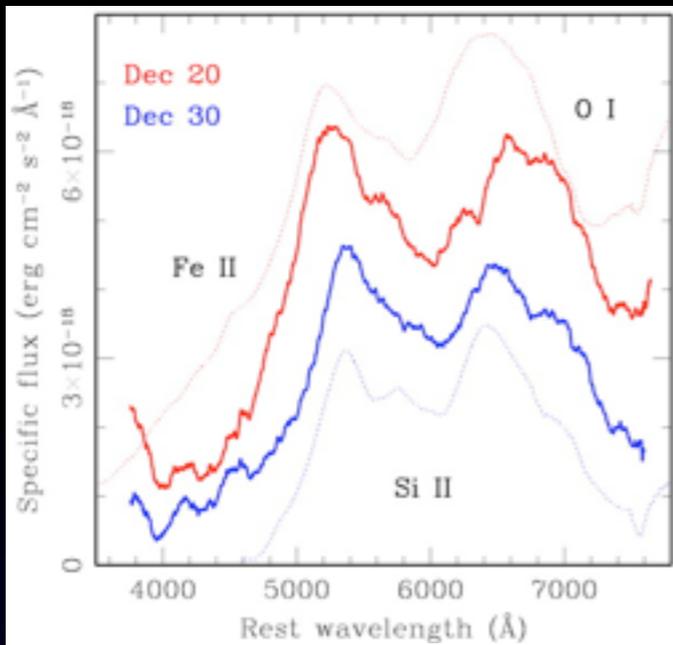
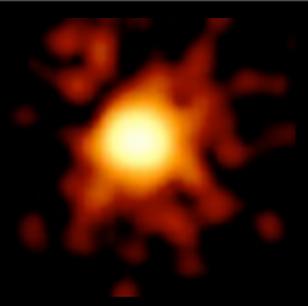
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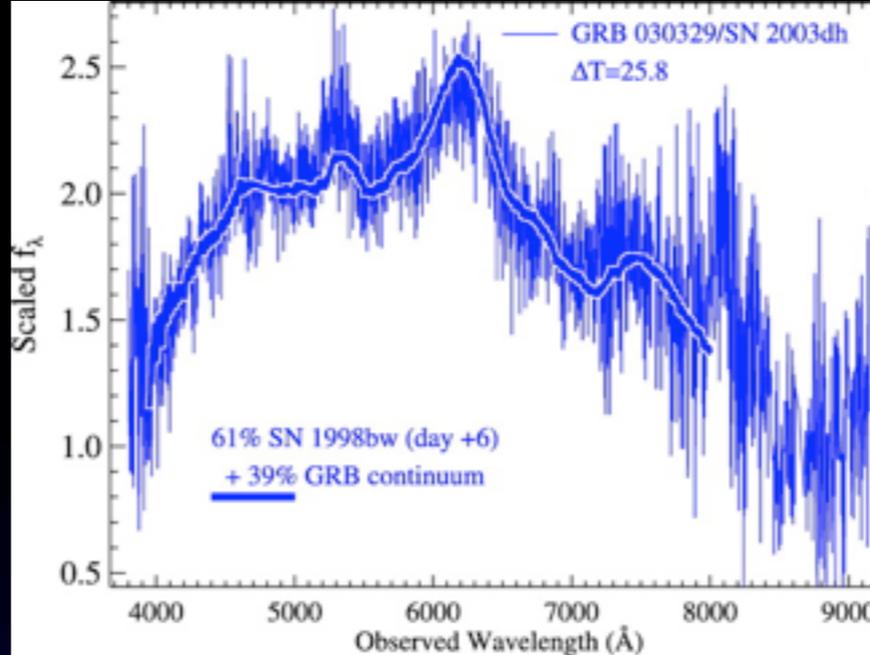
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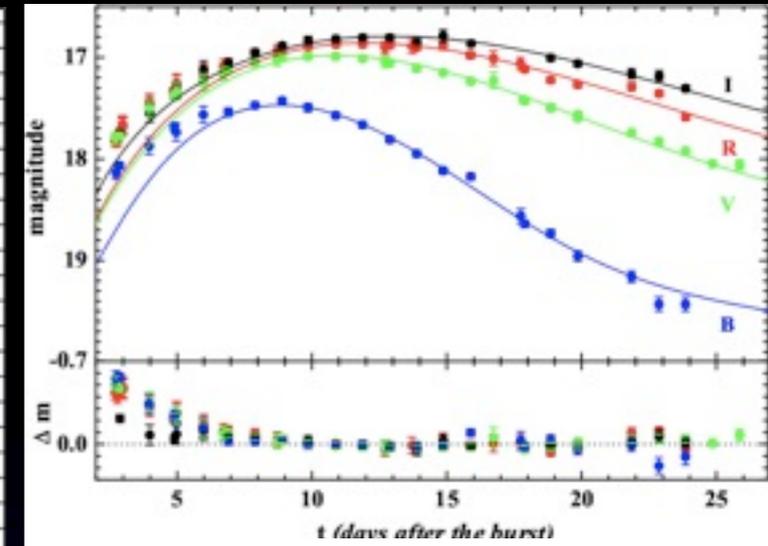
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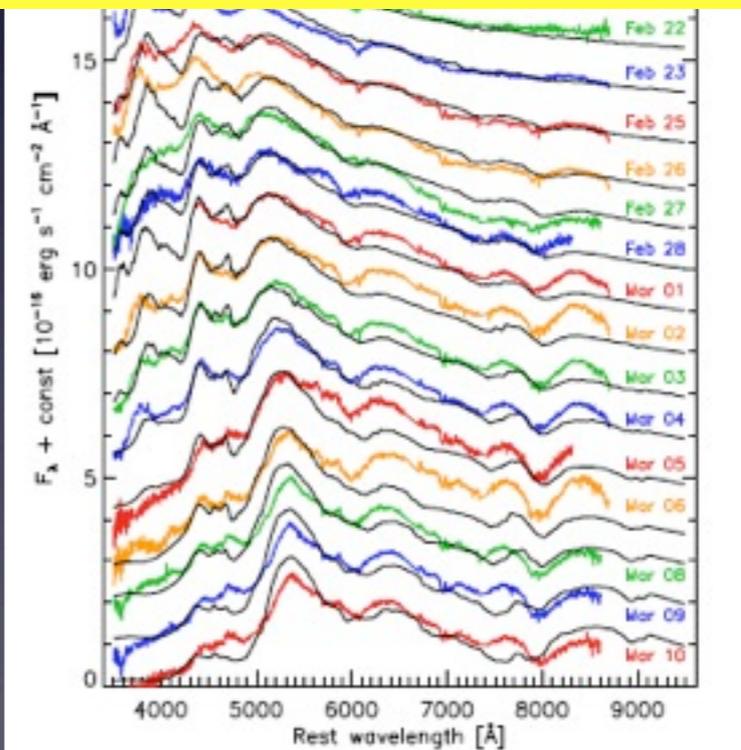
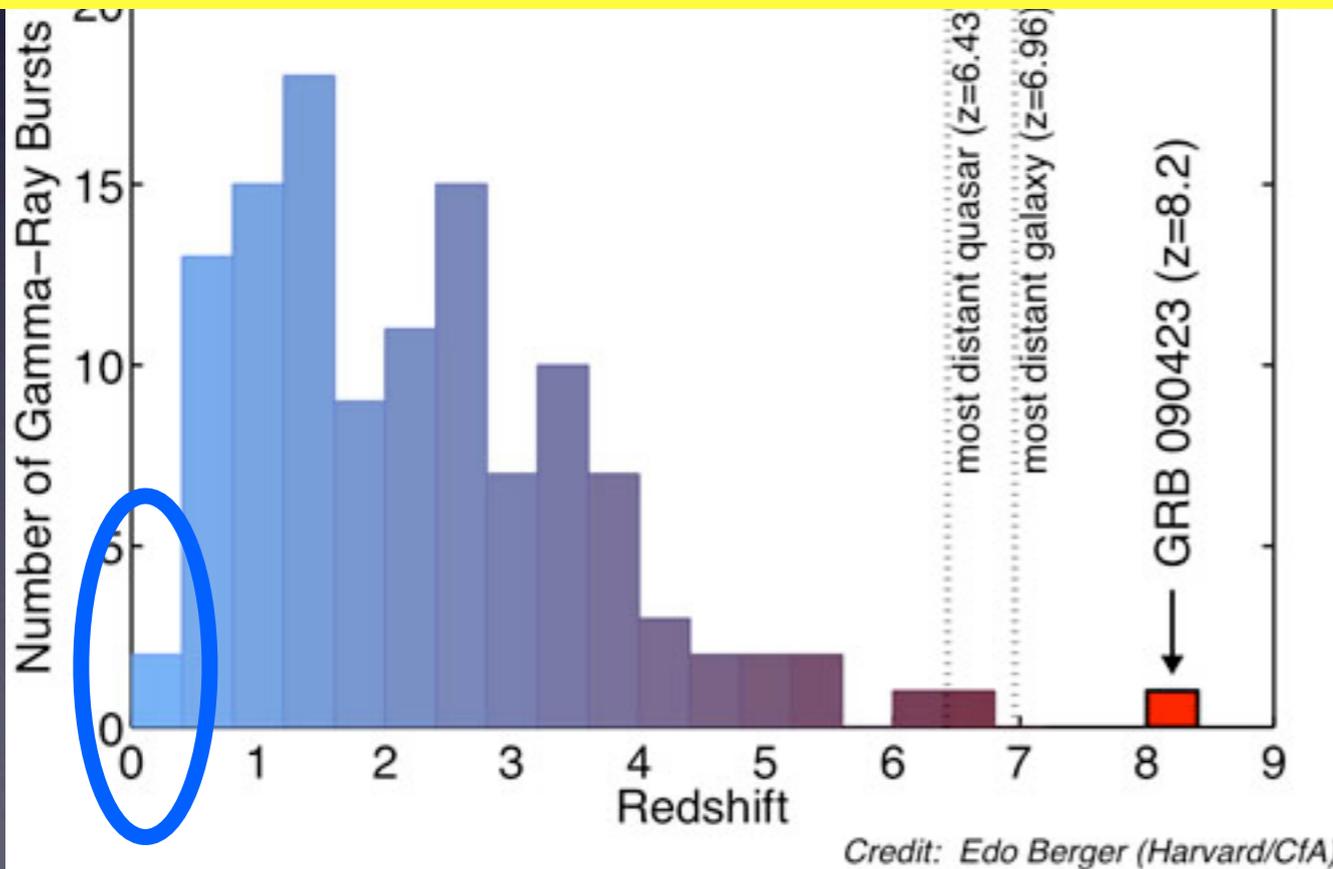


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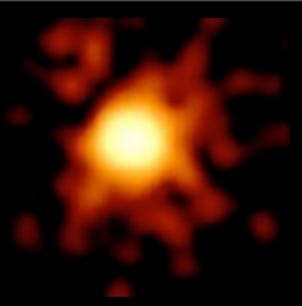


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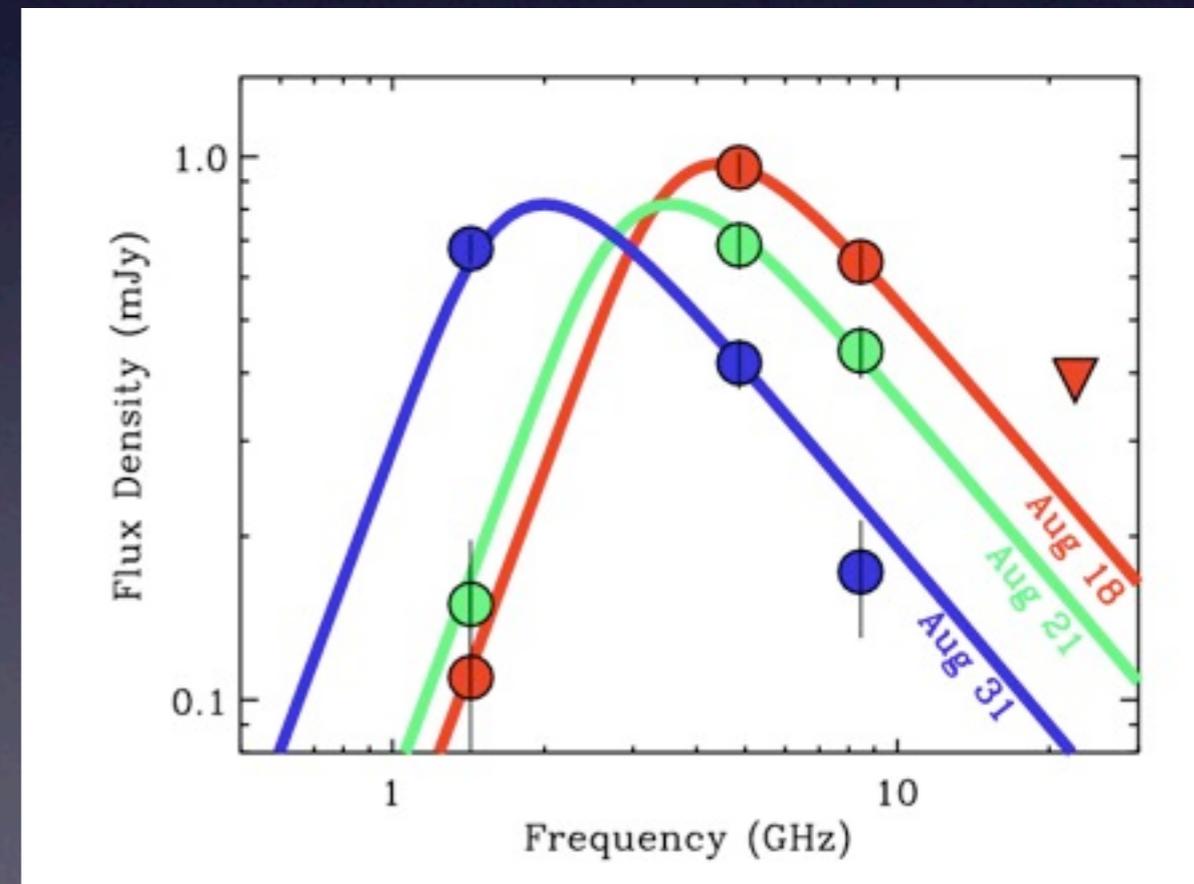
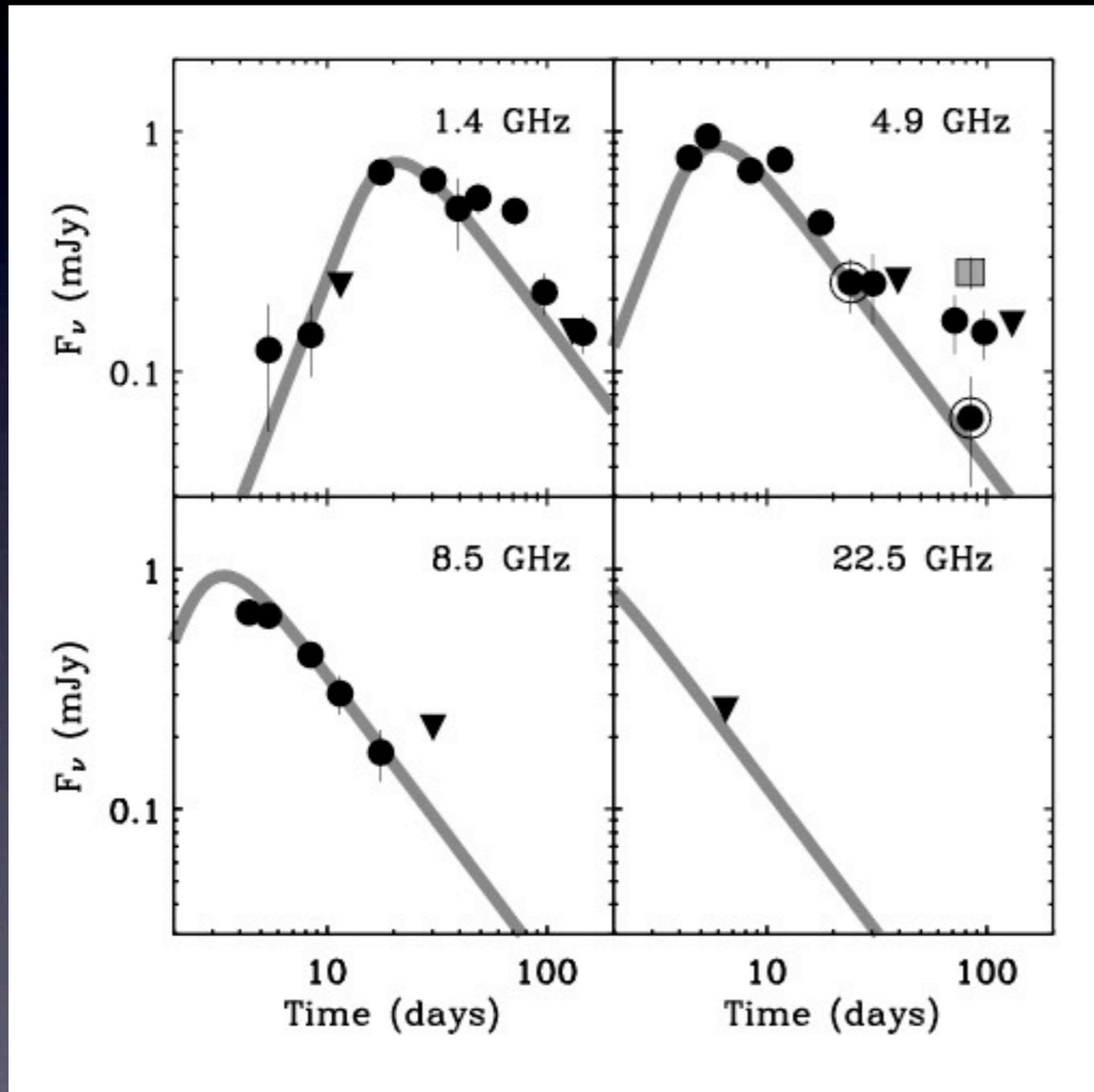
Freely expanding

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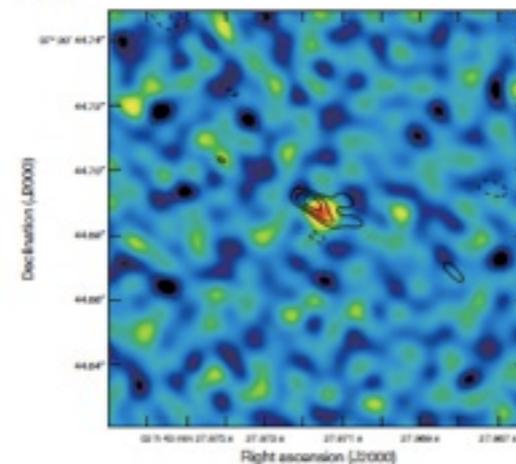
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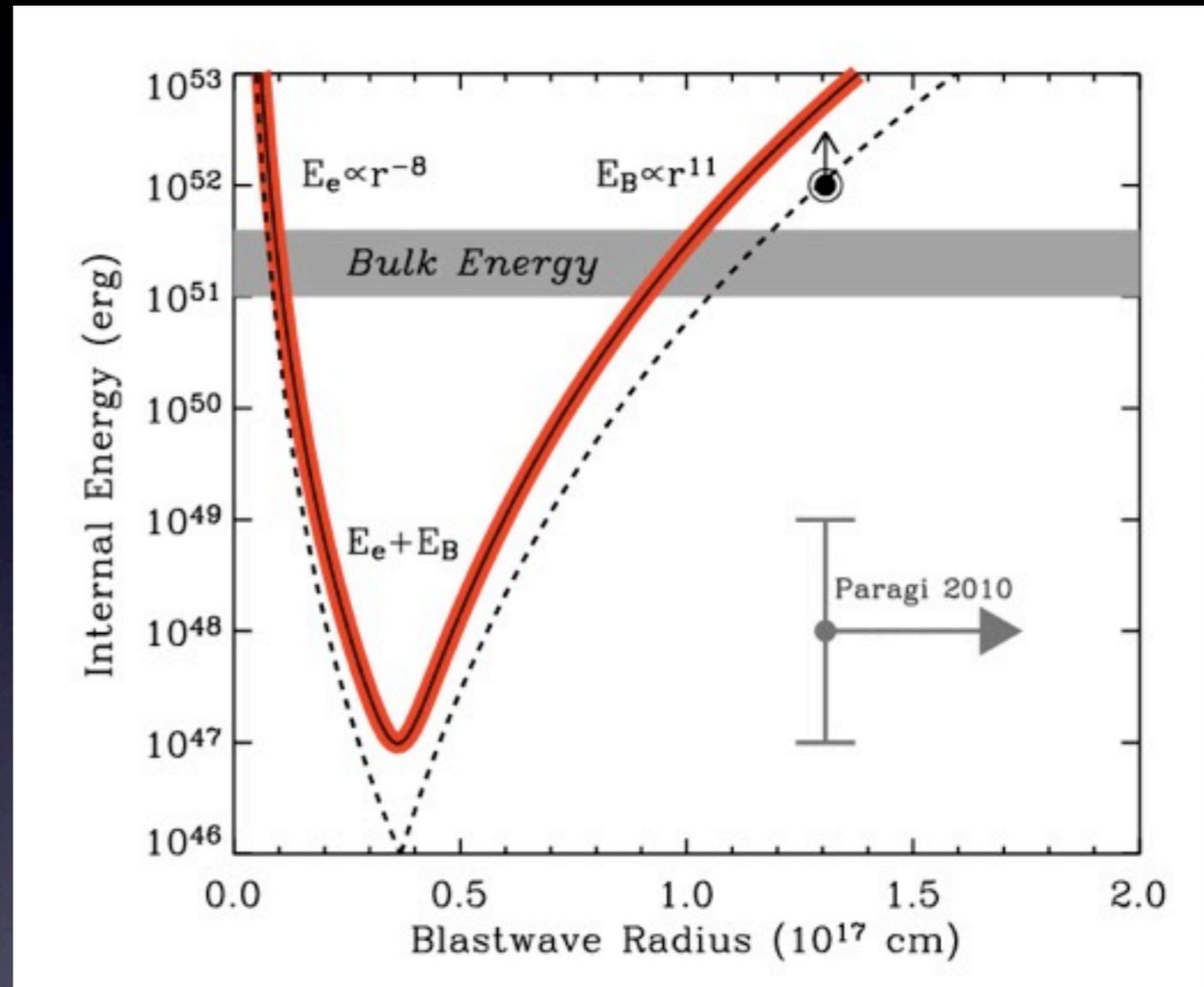
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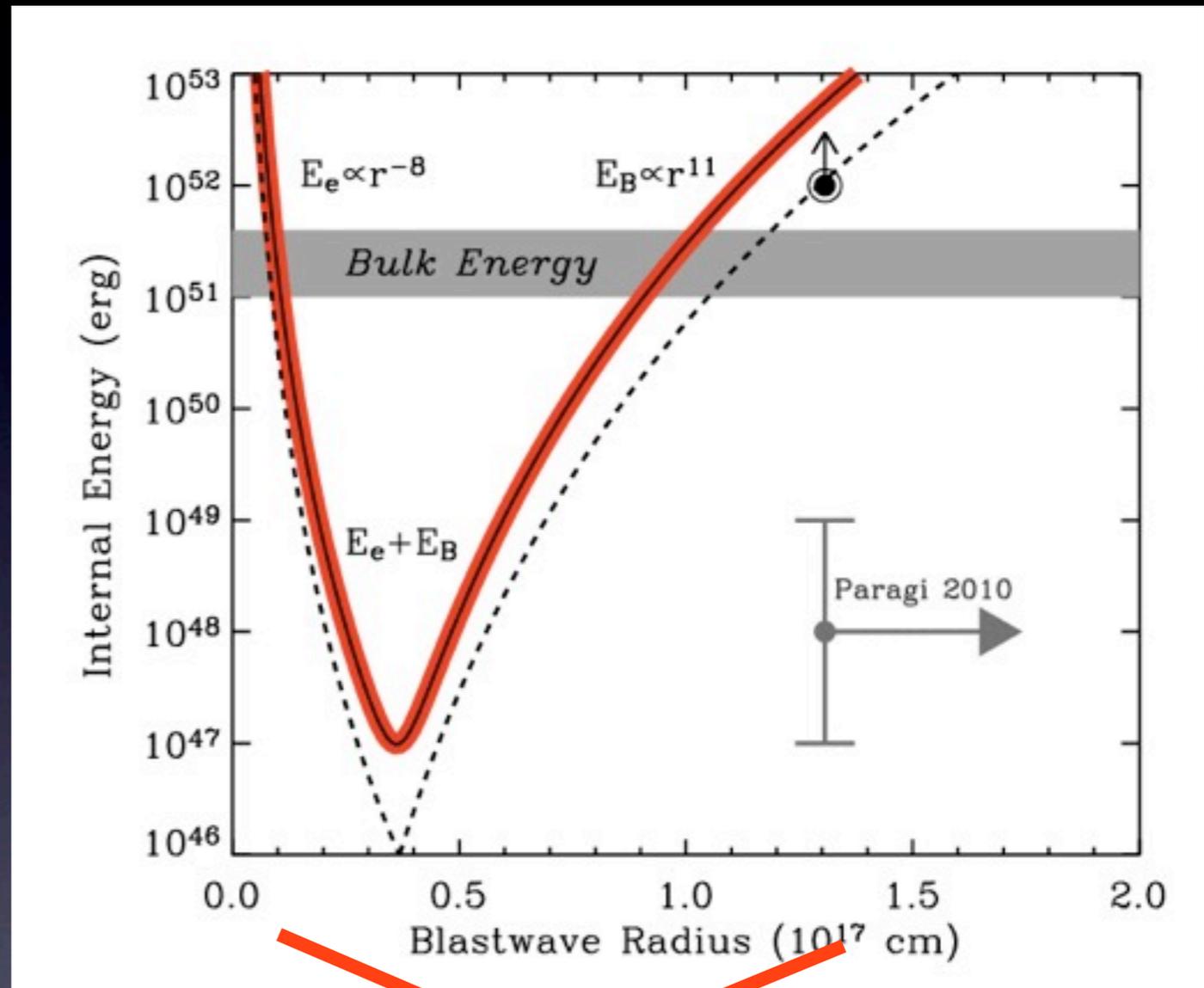
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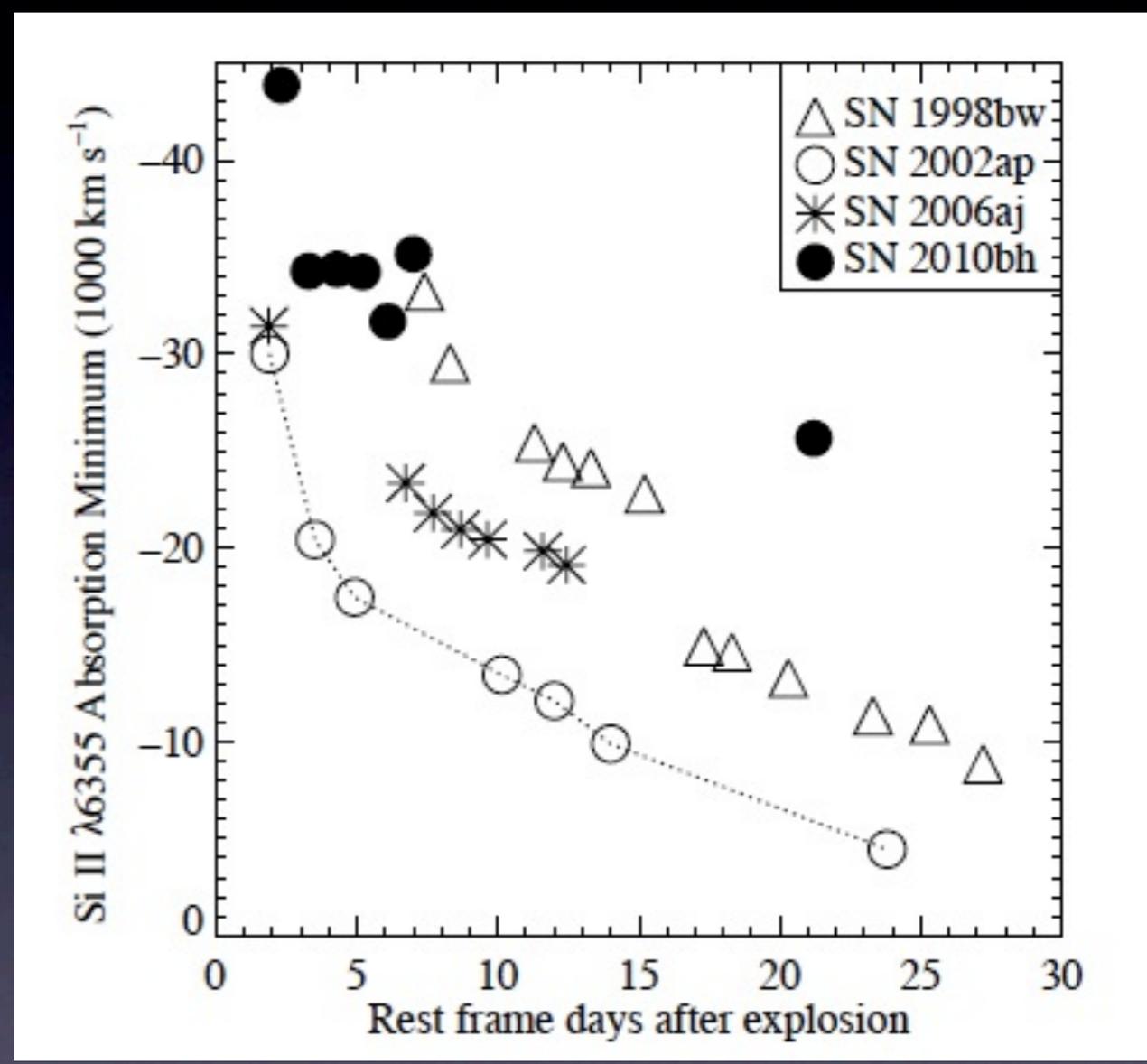
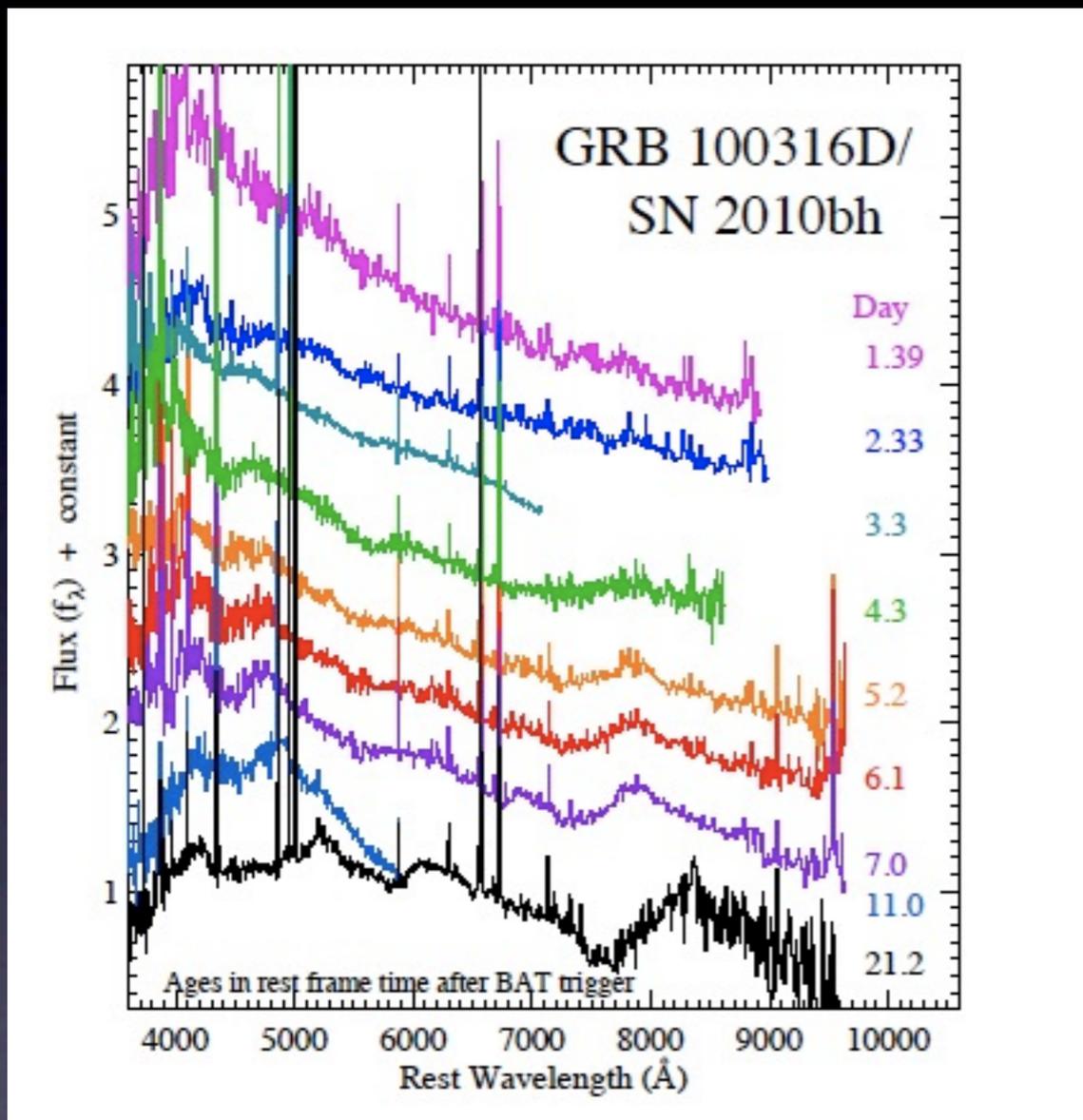
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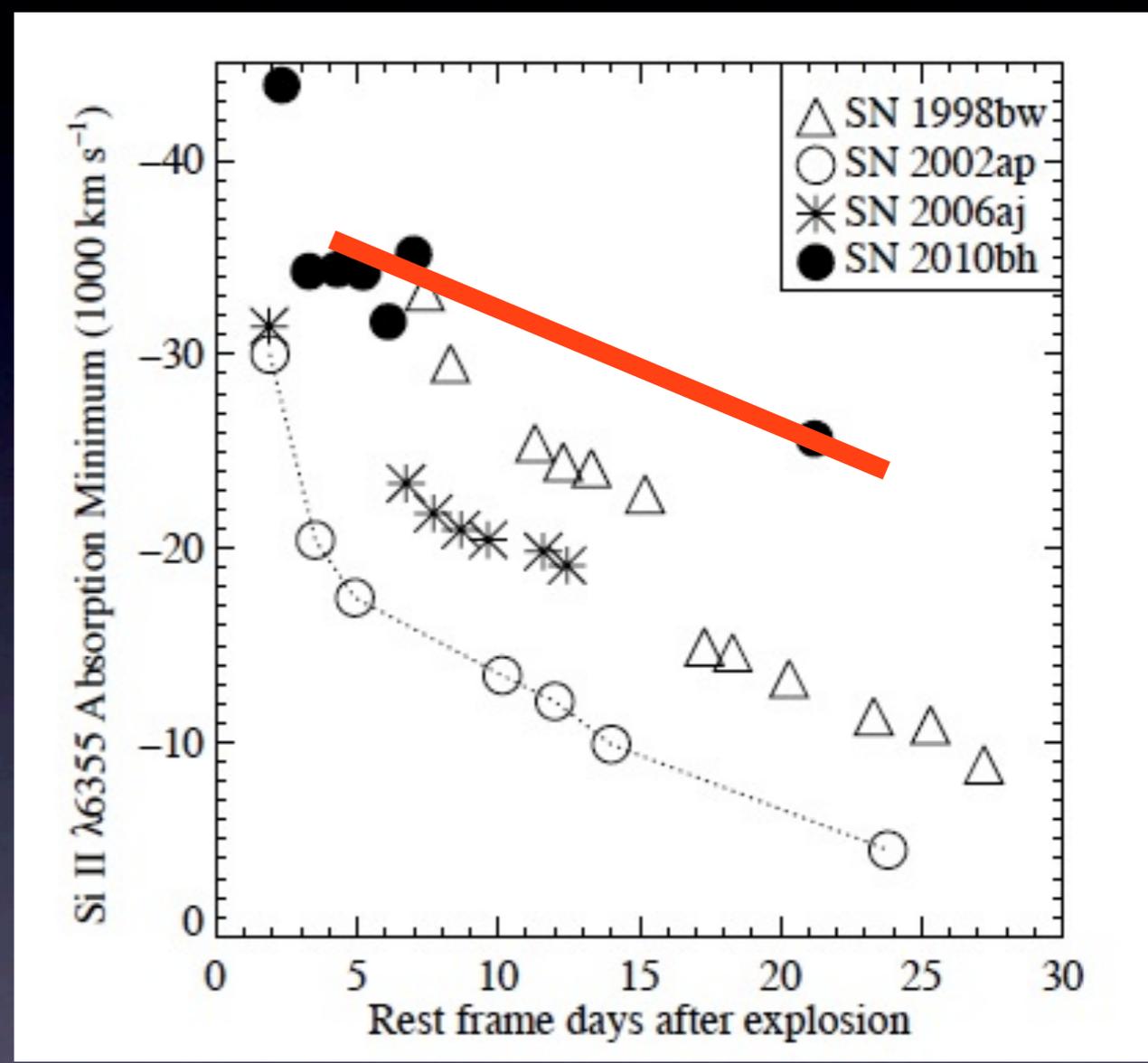
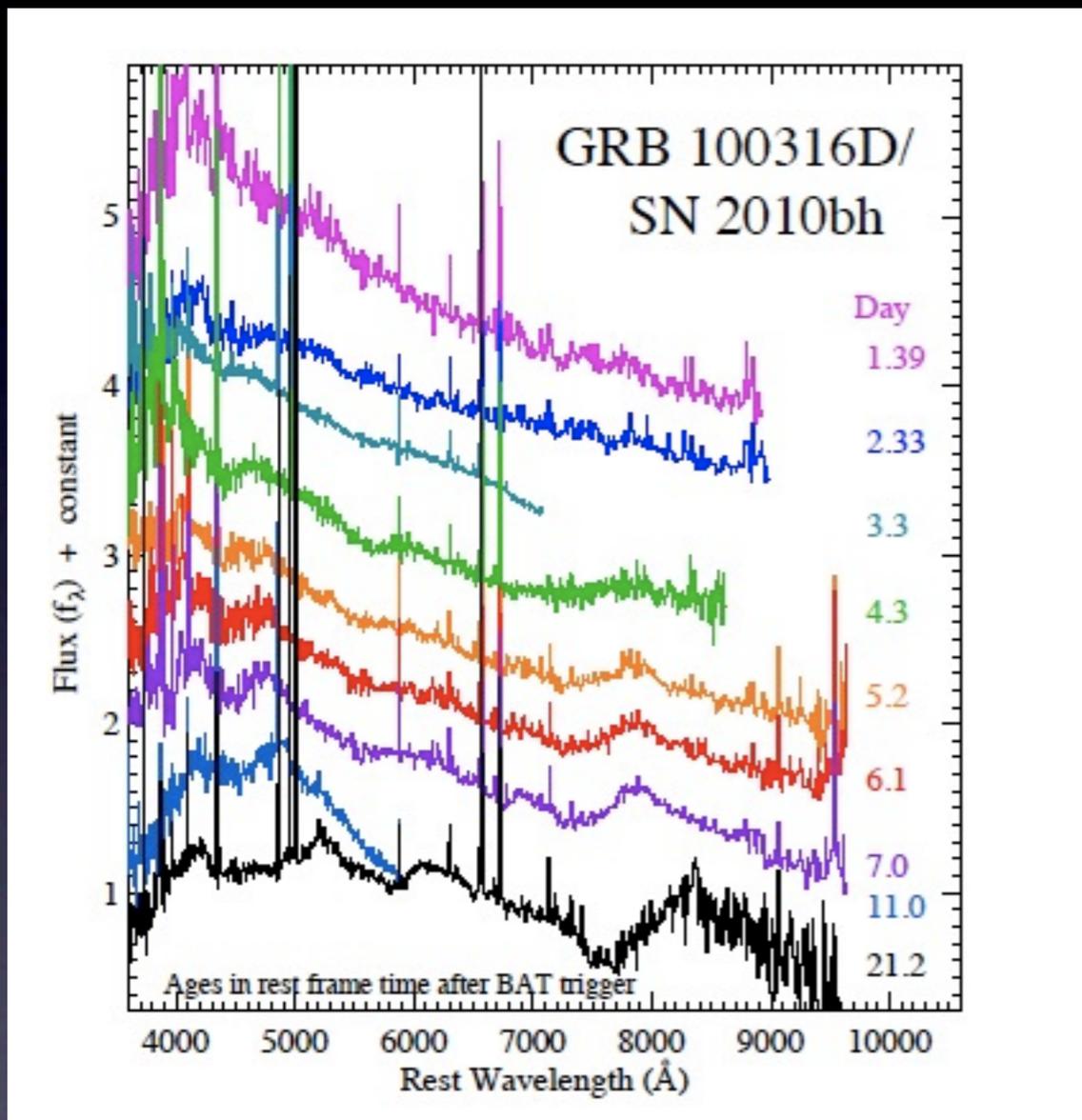
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